THE WEATHER.

Showers Tuesday and Wednesday; light to moderate east winds.

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CONVICTS PERISH IN STOCKADE FIRE

Thirty-Five Prisoners Roasted Alive and One Shot to Death.

BUILDING WAS SET ON FIRE

Guards Had Difficulty in Preventing 75 Other Convicts From Escaping—Gruesome Scene—Victims All Negroes.

Centerville, Ala., May 16.—Thirty-six negro convicts lost their lives early today when the stockade of the Red Feather Coal Company at Lucile Mines, Bibb county, about 15 miles north of Centerville, was destroyed by fire which was set by one of the prisoners in an effort to escape. Thirty-five of the convicts were burned to death and another shot to death by guards while trying to escape.

A convict, in trying to escape from the stockade, set it on fire and soon the whole structure was blazing. On account of the extreme dryness the building was rapidly consumed.

The convict who set the building on fire was burned to death and 34 of his fellow convicts shared a similar fate. It was with much difficulty that the remaining 75 convicts in the stockade were prevented from escaping. All of the convicts at Lucile mines are State convicts leased to the Red Feather Coal Company for the purpose of mining coal. The actual loss will reach several thousand dollars.

Those who were early on the scene of the fire state that the place where once stood the stockade presented a gruesome appearance as the ground was covered with the baked bodies of human beings.

The stockade was fired from the inside in furtherance of a plan to make a general escape. The fire burned more rapidly, it is believed, then the man who set fire to the buildings expected, and instead of furnishing a means of escape, the men succumbed to the flames.

The fire was discovered after it had made much headway and the guards and other men who were attracted to the scene had all they could do to get some of the men, who were locked up in the cells, out and to prevent those who were released from getting away.

Early Story of Fire.

Centerville, Ala., May 16.—A long distance telephone message says that 34 convicts were burned to death and another was shot and killed while trying to escape from the stockade of the Red Feather Coal Company at Lucille, Bibb county, this afternoon. The stockade was set on fire by a convict and a wild dash for liberty is thought to have been planned.

Four persons were seriously injured as follows: Cary Hall, white, leg broken by jumping from upper story; Sam Browder, badly burned about the face and hands in effort to rescue Hall; James Green, burned about face and hands and badly bruised; Thomas Cuyler, seriously burned about body.

The plant will probably be re-built at once. It was partially insured.

The fire was gotten under control late in the afternoon. Estimates tonight say the loss will probably reach half a million dollars.

ROOSEVELT IN LONDON

Will Attend King Edward's Funeral as Special Ambassador.

London, May 16.—The features of the day in London was the arrival of Theodore Roosevelt who came direct from Berlin and will act as special ambassador to represent the United States at the funeral of King Edward VII which will take place next Friday.

Colonel Roosevelt was received by King George at Marlborough house and later, with Mrs. Roosevelt, visited Buckingham Palace.

Apart from the strong interest displayed in the arrival of the former president, the day was uneventful. An enormous crowd, mainly composed of provincialists, spent the day patiently watching outside Buckingham Palace and Marlborough House the comings and going of royalties and princely visitors. The cold winds of the past few weeks have given place to Summer-like weather, which will be a great boon to hundreds of thousands of spectators at Tuesday's and Friday's solemn functions.

Another service was held in the throne room of the palace tonight the last before the removal of the body tomorrow, and all the palace servants were permitted to attend.

The diplomatic representatives of all the powers called at Dorchester house during the course of the day and left cards for Colonel Roosevelt.

For the first time in its history the great bell of the clock tower on the houses of parliament popularly known as "Big Ben, will be tolled every fifteen seconds while the coffin is passing tomorrow from the place to Westminster nall, and again on Friday while the cortege is leaving Westminster. Its booming will signal for the great guns to fire a salute to the passing of the monarch.

Ferdinand of Bulgaria has decided to attend the funeral and will be the ninth King coming to London for that purpose.

DR. HYDE GUILTY OF SWOPE MURDER

Kansas City Physician Will be Sentenced to Life Imprisonment.

CAUSED HIS OWN CONVICTION

Juror Says Prisoner Was His Worst Enemy in the Trial—Mrs. Hyde Will Not Return Home—Took Verdict Calmly.

Kansas City, Mo., May 16.—Dr. B. Clarke Hyde, whom a jury today found guilty of murdering Col. Thomas H. Swope by poison and sentenced to life imprisonment, owes his conviction to his own testimony on the witness stand, according to a statement made tonight by W. C. Crone, the juror who decided the physician's fate after nearly three days of balloting.

Until Saturday night Crone and R. Johnson, a farmer, held out for acquittal against the rest of the jury. Remembering Dr. Hyde's demeanor on the stand, Mr. Crone finally decided the physician's fate by voting for conviction and pursuading Johnson to do the same.

"Dr. Hyde was his own worst enemy in the trial", said Mr. Crone tonight. "His own testimony convicted him.

"When Dr. Hyde said he had bought cyanide for ten years and yet could not remember where he bought it, he damned himself as a witness. If he had not testified as he did, I think he would not be in the position he is.

"At first I believed Hyde innocent and until Sunday night I voted to acquit him. Then I recalled his testimony about his cyanide purchases and I decided he was guilty. I told Mr. Johnson I had changed my vote and I talked about my decision. I think my reasoning had an effect on him."

Crone's son Albert was recently sentenced to 18 years in prison for murdering Bertha Bowler, his sweetheart.

The return of the verdict today was marked by an absence of dramatic features. Mrs. Hyde cried when she heard the verdict in the court room. Dr. Hyde did not change his usual stoical appearance. Mrs. Logan O. Swope was unnerved when at her home in Independence she heard the outcome, but she soon regained her composure. It was what she had been fighting for, and she was satisfied, she said.

"My home is still open to my daughter," she added, "I feel sorry for her."

But Mrs. Hyde is not going back to her mother. She is still loyal to her husband and confidently believes the court will free him. She is going to take up his fight immediately and battle on until he is freed or her funds are exhausted, she says: "Clark is innocent, and he shall be freed," she declared.

Hyde takes his imprisonment sentence calmly. He was asleep today soon after the verdict was announced. He professed to believe that the case would be remanded for new trial when it reached the Supreme Court. His attorneys will make a motion for a new trial some day this week. The physician will be sentenced on Saturday probably. By law, he is not admissible to bail. It is discretionary with Judge Ralph S. Latshaw, whether Dr. Hyde be sent to prison, or held at the county jail, pending consideration of his case by the Supreme Court.

"Until after Dr. Hyde's attorneys have applied for a new trial, I shall not decide what will be done with the prisoner, pending decision on his appeal", said the judge tonight.

FIREMAN INJURED

Colored Driver at Newbern Thrown From Hose Wagon.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 16.—While answering an alarm of fire from box 35 at 9:30 tonight Daniel Webster, a colored assistant driver, was thrown from the Button Hose Company's hose wagon at the corner of Pollock and Middle streets, and seriously injured. The horse attempted to turn down Middle street and threw the hose wagon against a telephone post where the horse became detached. Webster was thrown on the pavement and knocked unconscious. He was at once taken to office of Drs. Jones and Patterson where he was given attention. The extent of his injuries are not known but he is not thought to be seriously hurt, and has no broken bones.

PUSHING THE SCOTT BILL

Measure to Prohibit Transactions In Futures on Cotton.

Washington, May 16.—A determined effort was made among the Democrats of the House today to expedite consideration of the Scott bill to prohibit transactions in futures on the cotton exchanges of the country. A petition was circulated during the day calling upon the Rules Committee to report a rule as early as possible to fix a day for bringing up the measure. About half a hundred or more signatures were presented.

The committee is deadlocked on the proposition, having decided at its last meeting to defer consideration of the matter in the Rules Committee until just before the shipsubsidy bill is disposed of by the House.

Closing Triumphant Tour of Many European Countries

COL. ROOSEVELT SALUTING WHILE PASSING THROUGH THE LINES OF NORWEGIAN BATTLESHIPS, THE BANDS PLAYING THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER ON BOARD QUEEN MAUD
COL. ROOSEVELT AND KING HAAKON IN ROYAL CARRIAGE AT CHRISTIANIA LEAVING STATION.
COL. ROOSEVELT LEAVING THE STEAMER QUEEN MAUD AT COPENHAGEN AFTER VISITING THE CASTLE OF ELSINORE, MADE FAMOUS BY HAMLET.
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STREET DECORATIONS AT CHRISTIANIA IN HONOR OF COL. ROOSEVELT'S ARRIVAL

Berlin, May 17.—Correspondents of European papers are dazed over the receptions, the cheering crowds and strenuous greetings given to Colonel Roosevelt on his tour of Europe. The correspondent of the London Times writes that he has been in the midst of battles, that he had had to do some tall hustling in his newspaper days, but he has never worked so hard nor has he been kept so much on the move as since he joined the Roosevelt party for the Times. When Col. Roosevelt entered London, however, much of the hurry and bustle will be lost, for now he will represent the United States at the funeral of King Edward. Europe has about exhausted her supply of red, white and blue bunting to decorate the streets in honor of the colonel.

NEGRO SHOT TWO IN CASWELL

Mortally Wounded Danville Butcher After He Had Shot Aged Negro Man—Desperate Character. Posse on Trail.

Danville, Va., May 16.—C. S. Hurst, a well known butcher of this city, was shot and fatally injured this afternoon by Lutt Shaw, a negro farm hand, who also shot and seriously injured Durk Anderson, an aged negro, who resides in Caswell county, N. C., about 30 miles from here. The shooting occurred at the home of Anderson in a community which bears an unsavory reputation.

The cause of the trouble is unknown, but it appears that Lutt Shaw found Hurst at the home of Anderson and immediately opened fire on him, sending a bullet into his head. Anderson remonstrated with him for his conduct and Shaw then shot him in the shoulder. After taking a parting shot at one of Anderson's sons, he fled, and up to a late hour tonight had not been captured. Sheriff Fitch, of Caswell, and a posse, are on his trail. Reports from Hurst tonight are that he has no chance for recovery. He is about 35 years of age, and a man of family. He had been in the habit of going to Caswell to buy cattle. A message tonight from Yanceyville, the county seat, states that the authorities are able a cope with the situation, and that there is no immediate likelihood of a lynching. Shaw is regarded by neighbors as being a desperate character and is expected to put up a fight before being captured.

BIG DEAL IN COTTON.

Charleston and Wilmington Divide Big Holding at Florence.

Florence, S. C., May 16.—The Times this afternoon says that a big deal in cotton was consummated here Saturday afternoon by which about 7000 bales of the staple that had been held here by farmers, large and small among them The McCown-Clark Company, S. H. Saunders, J. C. C. Brunson and a number of other farmers sold their holdings at 14 3-4 and 15 cents, depending on the grade of the cotton. The cash was nearly $50,000 that was added to the circulating medium in the city by the deal. About half of that cotton was bought by A. M. McCall, the resident buyer for Maybank & Co., of Charleston, and by Mr. Banks, buyer for Sprunt & Sons, of Wilmington. The price realized was the figure for which the farmers had been holding the cotton and they let it go.

BAPTISTS ON TEMPERANCE

Commended President Taft For His Stand on Liquor Question—Wants Laws to Prevent Shipments to Dry Territory.

Baltimore, May 16.—In voluminous report presented by the Temperance committee at the Southern Baptist Convention today, President Taft is commended for his example of total abstinence and for his action in insisting on changed regulations governing the issuance of the United States special tax receipts of retail liquor dealers whereby the "infamous work of the so called boot leggers an other violators of prohibition laws will be rendered hazardous." This action of the nation's chief executive, the committee reported wil render "boot legging" impossible without detection under proper State enactments and enforcements.

The committee recommended that Congress enact laws which will protect States from the inter-State shipments of liquor into "dry" territory and remove whatever protection and internal revenue tax receipts may give to vendors of liquors in localities where the sale of liquor is prohibited by law.

As to Northern Baptist.

The convention emphasized its idea

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OUTLINES.

Dr. B. C. Hyde was convicted of the murder of Col. Thomas H. Swope by a Kansas City jury yesterday and will be sentenced to life imprisonment——Dr. John C. Kilgo, Dr. Collier Denny, and Dr. W. B. Murrah were elected bishops at the Methodist Conference in Asheville yesterday ——The Senate yesterday voted to retain the court of commerce feature of the railroad bill defeating the motion of Senator Cummins to destroy this provision——Near Centerville, Ala., yesterday 35 convicts were burned to death in the destruction of a stockade which was fired by one of the number in an effort to make his escape——The Temperance Committee at the Southern Baptist Convention yesterday commended the stand of President Taft on the liquor question and asked Congress to make laws to prevent shipments of whiskey into dry territory ——Texas Rickard has been chosen referee for the Jeffries-Johnson fight ——New York markets: Money on call steady 3 3-4 to 4 per cent., ruling rate 3 3-4, closing bd 3 7-8, offered at 4; flour quiet and barely steady; wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 1.15 nominal, No. 1 northern 1.20 7-8 nominal f. o. b. afloat; corn spot steady, No. 2, 70 asked elevator basis; oats spot quiet, mixed nominal; rosin quiet, turpentine firm; spot cotton closed quiet, middling uplands 15.90; middling gulf 16.19.

BALLINGER DISMISSES KIRBY

Stenographer Who Declares Letter Exonerating Interior Secretary Was Written in the Department. Stinging Rebuke.

Washington, May 16.—"You are hereby discharged from the public service because you are unworthy to remain in it."

This in part was the stinging rebuke administered in a letter today by Secretary of the Interior Ballinger to Frederick M. Kirby, in dismissing the latter from the government service today.

Kirby, it will be remembered, was the stenographer in Secretary Ballinger's office who on Saturday issued a statement regarding the "Lawler memorandum" on the Glavis charges to the President, was discharged from the government service by Secretary Ballinger today. Continuing the letter of Secretary Ballinger to Kirby says:

"In divulging information obtained by you in the confidential relation of stenographer to the Secretary of the Interior, in communicating that information to those whom you are bound to know are wrongfully seeking to bring reproach upon the administration and to injure me; and, in deliberately mis-stating material facts as to which you did treacherously communicate, you show that you are unworthy and unsafe. The fact that your treachery is futile cannot mitigate the character of your offense. For the good of the service you are hereby dismissed."

Kerby received the letter of dismissal by special messenger this morning. In discussing the subject of his dismissal today, Kerby said the Secretary's action had not been a surprise to him. "Of course, when I issued my statement," he added, "I realized that the Secretary would take some such action. As to the charges made by Secretary Ballinger against me I am perfectly willling to leave to the judgment of the people of the country as to whether I acted treacherously or patriotically and I feel entirely certain that the general verdict will be in my favor. At any rate I think that Secretary Ballinger is not an excellent judge of ethics."

New Haven, Conn., May 16.—Captain Jabes Weaver, 84 years old a ship master, known up and down the coast, especially at Southern ports, died today of pneumonia. One of his recent vessels was the schooner E. H. Weaver. Captain Weaver was born on Cape Cod and served in the Civil War with the 20th Connecticut Volunteers.

SENATE RETAINS COURT PROVISION

Defeated Cummins' Motion to Destroy Feature of Railroad Bill.

TRIUMPH FOR THE REGULARS

House Has Already Voted in Favor of the Court of Commerce—Georgia Senator's Amendment Also Defeated.

Washington, May 16.—What so ever may be the fate of other provisions of the railroad bill, the proposal to establish a court of commerce will be retained, the Senate today taking affirmative action in that direction as the House previously had done. The vote was obtained on a motion by Senator Cummins to strike out the entire six sections providing for the establishment of the court, the result being in the negative, 28 to 37.

The entire negative vote was cast by Republicans, although eight Republicans voted with the Democrats in support of the motion.

The action was a distinct triumph for the regular Republican organization and was the first fruit of recent efforts to solidify the administration forces so as to insure the carrying out of the administration programme.

Following this action, Mr. Bacon, of Georgia, presented an amendment substituting the United States Circuit courts for the court of commerce in the trial of commerce cases, but it was voted down without division. A negative fate also met an amendment by Mr. Cummins reducing the membership of the court from 5 to 3.

The voting followed a day of debate on the Cummins motion to strike out the court sections. Speeches were made by Senators Cummins, Stone, Clapp and others.

Mr. Clapp found in the provision a tendency towards the centralization and, congratulating the country upon the work done already in eliminating the original bill, appealed to the Senate to continue that work. Mr. Beveridge opposed it because of the little work to be done by the commission.

Declaring that if all senators should vote their honest convictions, the court section would be voted out, Mr. Bacon declared that he would rather lose his right arm than be responsible for so radical a change in the judiciary as this bill contemplated. He urged Senators not to vote to strike down the great judiciary system "for some foolish sentiment or other impulse."

Early in the day the Senate voted to rescind its previous action in the daily hour of meetings at 11 o'clock, but just before adjournment re-considered the action of the morning and decided to meet tomorrow at 11 o'clock

HOMICIDE IN ROBESON.

One Negro Slays Another at Rowland. Personal Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., May 16.—Information was received here this forenoon of the killing last night at Rowland of a negro, the slayer also being colored. It was impossible to learn the name of either or the cause of the murder. The man who committed the deed was reported as in the guard house at Rowland. Sheriff McNeill had left for Rowland on other business when the news of the killing was received here. In the absence of Coroner Rancke in another State, the clerk of the court appointed Mr. A. T. McKellar, of Rowland, special coroner to hold the inquest.

Among the prominent visitors in town today were Presiding Elder Moore, Superintendent Gore, of the second division of the Seaboard; Dr. H. I. Clark and Mr. A. P. Kitchin, of Scotland Neck. Dr. Clark is the father of Mrs. Dr. Kitchin, and Mr. Kitchin is a brother of Dr. Kitchin. They arrived last night and will spend several days with Dr. and Mrs. Kitchin.

FIRE ON NAVY BOAT.

Old Ram Katahdin Object of Attack in Potomac River.

Washington, May 16.—A bit of naval warfare took place today on the Potomac river at Indian Head, Va., when the old United States Navy ram Katahdin, which was stricken from the navy list last year, received her baptism of fire. It was not the fire of an enemy, but it was aimed at her with every intention of sinking her if possible.

Having outlived her usefulness as a fighting vessel, the curious naval vessel was clothed in modern 12-inch high grade armor plate, and a dozen ordnance experts directed the attack on her with the new soft nose naval shell hurled through a big 12-inch gun. Anchored at a distance of about five miles the Katahdin served to assist the naval experts in ascertaining whether the new shell can be deflected when it strikes at an angle or whether it would bite into the armor plate as the naval officers anticipated.

Unfortunately for the public, the Navy Department conducted the experiment with all possible secrecy. Foreign military and naval attaches were refused permission to witness the test and it is doubtful if accurate information can be had as to the outcome.

BISHOPS ELECTED BY METHODISTS

Doctors Kilgo, Denny and Murrah Chosen at Conference Yesterday.

WARM DEBATE ON TIME LIMIT

Many Speeches for and Against the Measure—More Bishops Will be Elected Today—Women Receive Encouragement.

Asheville, N. C., May 16.—The members of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, are delighted with the choice of men, so far elected to the Episcopacy. It has been conceded since the opening of the conference that Drs. Collins Denny and J. C. Kilgo would be elected on the first ballot. Dr. Denny received the largest majority ever voted on the first ballot in the history of the Southern Methodist Church. The election of Rev. W. B. Murrah, D. D., LL. D., was never in doubt.

Dr. Collins Denny is professor at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., Dr. Kilgo is president of Trinity College, Durham, N. C., and Dr. Murrah is president of Millsaps College, Jackson, Miss. All three bishops elected are connected with schools and it is stated that an effort will be made in the next election to elect some ministers from the active ranks of the itinerancy, although those are now in the lead, when the last ballot was made known are also connected with colleges, with the exception of Dr. W. R. Lambuth, the missionary secretary of the church. Tonight, the newly elected bishops are receiving the congratulations of their friends. The sessions of the conference were held today in order to dispose of accumulated business. When the afternoon session adjourned, the tellers were busy counting the fourth ballot as there was no election on the third.

The debate on the question of time limit in the pastorate at times waxed warm, there were many speeches for and against the measure to remove the limit altogether.

The women at the General Conference, who are interested in the woman's memorial asikng for laity rights are greatly encouraged concerning the movement. Some are hopeful that when the question of laity rights is taken from the calendar and discussed, the conference will grant the women their request. Letters and telegrams from all sections continue to arrive stating that men and women are praying that the women will be victorious.

The result of the fourth ballot for bishops will not be made known tonight. The ballot has been divided into three parts, each teller getting one part. Each teller's count has been sealed and the figures will not be assembled until tomorrow morning's session when the result will be known to the conference.

Bishop Morrison Retained.

At a late hour today the Committee on Episcopacy decided to keep Bishop Morrison on the active list, but will recommend to the College of Bishops that he be given light work.

The Committee on Education will recommend that the vacancies existing in the board of trust of Vanderbilt University be filled by this conference. It also sustained the special report of the bishops which complained that the Board of Education had delegated to its executive committee the right to confirm the board of trust of Vanderbilt University and will recommend that they do not do so in the future. The action of this committee practically proclaims the right of the Methodist church to have a voice in the control of the university.

PIANO DEALERS ADJOURN

Elected Officers and Selected Chicago For Next Year.

Richmond, Va., May 16.—The National Association of Piano Dealers of America, opened their annual convention here this morning with about 1,200 delegates present. The following officers were elected:

President, L. H. Clement, New York; first vice president, R. O. Foster, Minneapolis; second vice president, Otto Ballman, St. Louis; secretary, C. R. Putnam, Boston; treasurer D. E. Wooley, Philadelphia.

For the executive board W. H. Currie, of Toledo; R. Kammerer, of New Yorw; P. A. Field, of St. Louis and J. F. Bowers, of Chicago. For the membership committee C. R. Putnam, of Boston; Burton R. Miller, of Boston, and Robert N. Watkins, of Dallas, were named. Chicago was selected as the next place of meeting for the convention.

Criticism of the merchant marine policy of Congress as "criminal" and severe arraignment of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, with an intimation that the members of the latter body are so saturated by association with corporate affairs that they prefer the rights of the railroads to those of the people were the most striking features of the addresses and debates in today's session of the convention.

Lexington, Va., May 16.—The 46th anniversary of the battle of New Market was observed today at the Virginia Military Institute by a suspension of duties. Memorial exercises were held at the cadet cemetery, where seven boy heroes were buried.

REALM OF SPORTS

BASE BALL — RACING — THE RING

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Pittsburg	13	8	.619
Philadelphia	12	9	.571
Cincinnati	12	9	.571
Chicago	13	11	.542
New York	14	12	.538
St. Louis	11	13	.458
Brooklyn	10	16	.385
Boston	8	15	.348

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Philadelphia	16	4	.800
New York	13	8	.619
Detroit	15	10	.600
Cleveland	12	9	.571
Boston	12	12	.500
Chicago	8	12	.400
Washington	9	16	.360
St. Louis	4	17	.190

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis, May 16.—By taking today's game four to two St. Louis won four games straight from New York. Wiltse was easy while Willis was effective except in one inning.

St. Louis .....010 110 10*—4 9 1
New York .....000 002 000—2 7 2

Willis and Phelps; Wiltse and Myers.

Cincinnati, May 16.—Cincinnati, defeated Brooklyn today in a nip and tuck game 3 to 2. Both Fromme and Scanlon were wild. The locals managed to gain their one run lead off Bell by good hitting.

Cincinnati .....010 010 01*—3 8 0
Brooklyn .....100 000 010—2 6 4

Fromme, Gasper and McLean; Scanlon, Bell and Erwin.

Chicago, May 16.—Chicago defeated Boston 4 to 3 in the final game of the series today. Cole held Boston to one hit in the first seven innings, but weakened near the end.

Chicago .....010 120 00*—4 9 2
Boston .....000 000 012—3 4 4

Cole and Archer; Brown, Parsons and Graham and Raridan.

Pittsburg, May 16.—An eighth rally in which Pittsburg batted around saved the champions from what looked like another defeat by Philadelphia and netted a local victory of 7 to 4.

Pittsburg .....010 001 05*—7 12 1
Philadelphia .....000 004 000—4 6 5

Leever, Leifield and Gibson; Shetler, Humphries and Dooin.

Sunday Games.

At St. Louis, 8; New York, 3.
At Cincinnati, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
At Chicago, 4; Boston, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston, May 16.—Boston 11; Detroit 4. Boston made six hits in succession in the first inning, five runs resulting. In the second Lord led off with a three base hit and Staple and Speaker followed with a two bagger and a home run.

Detroit .....000 002 020—4 7 1
Boston .....530 030 00*—11 15 2

Pernell, Stroud, Donovan and Stanage and Beckendorff; Karger and Carrigan.

Philadelphia, May 16.—Philadelphia won from Chicago today 6 to 1, making eleven straight games. The home team knocked Smith off the rubber in five innings while Coombs held Chicago to a single and a triple.

Chicago .....000 010 000—1 2 4
Philadelphia .....012 021 00*—6 10 1

Smith, Lang and Payne; Coombs and Lapp.

Washington, May 16.—Washington defeated Cleveland today 3 to 1. Reisling was effective with men on bases while Falkenberg was hit at opportune times. Gessler made the first home run for the locals this season, a drive to the extreme corner of right field.

Washington .....10' 101 00*—3 7 3
Cleveland .....000 000 100—1 7 0

Reisling and Street; Falkenberg and Clark.

New York, May 16.—In an interesting game New York defeated St. Louis today by a score of 5 to 3. Ford outpitched Lake and the locals ran bases at will on Killifer in the third and fourth innings, gaining a lead the visitors were unable to overcome.

St. Louis .....000 111 000—3 7 2
New York .....003 101 00*—5 5 2

Lake and Killifer; Ford and Sweeney.

OTHER GAMES.

Southern League.

At Mobile, 2; Chattanooga, 8.
At New Orleans, 2; Nashville, 3.
At Montgomery, 1; Atlanta, 2.
At Birmingham, 4; Memphis, 3.

Sunday Games.

At New Orleans, 3; Nashville, 2.

South Atlantic League.

At Columbia, 3; Columbus, 0.
At Augusta, 0; Macon, 6.
At Jacksonville 11; Savannah, 1.

Carolina League.

At Spartanburg, 2; Greensboro, 1. (10 innings.)
At Charlotte, 6; Anderson, 5.
At Winston-Salem, 6; Greenville, 6. (13 innings.)

Virginia League.

At Roanoke, 4; Portsmouth, 3.
At Danville, 3; Lynchburg, 4.
At Norfolk, 2; Richmond, 7.

College Games.

At Athens: Georgia, 1; Washington and Lee, 9.
At Macon: Mercer, 4; Clemson, 2.

BIGAMY CHARGED.

White Man Arrested in Greenville, S. C., Wanted at Lincoln.

Greenville, S. C., May 16.—W. A. McGinnis, white, was lodged in the county jail charged with being a bigamist, having married a Mrs. Reed, widow near Greers for his second wife. His first wife lived in Lincoln, N. C. He was brought back to this city to answer to charges of grand larceny preferred by Wife No. 2, it is understood.

RICKARD TO REFEREE FIGHT

Chosen for Jeffries-Johnson Mill at San Francisco Meeting of Promoters Yesterday—Berger and Johnson Clash.

San Francisco, May 16.—Texas Rickard, associated with Jack Gleason in the promotion of the Jeffries and Johnson contest, and who came into prominence four years ago when he engineered the Gans and Nelson fight at Coldfield, Nev., today was selected to referee the fight between the two heavy weights on July 4th at Emeryville.

In accepting the place, however, the Nevada promoter made it clear that he would step aside if Jeffries and Johnson agreed on another man.

This settlement came when it looked as if the meeting to select a referee would end in another deadlock and after bitter words had passed between Johnson and Sam Berger, Jeffries' manager.

Johnson first suggested Rickard, but Berger refused to consider the Nevada man, saying he would not accept him on account of his inexperience. The colored champion declared he would stand pat on the three men he had mentioned, Jack Welch, Eddie Graney and Rickard.

Berger indignantly replied that he would leave the meeting. Then there came a further clash between Berger and Johnson and ugly words were used by Berger and threats were made by Johnson. Berger stood up, as if to leave.

"So you want Rickard, do you?" he queried of Johnson.

"Yes," came the answer.

"Well, all right", replied Berger, and the crowd broke into a cheer as it realized that one of the difficult points had been settled.

In spite of the agreement there is a feeling of mistrust among those who attended the sessions that the last word has not been said and that the referee question again must be taken up.

Berger, during the negotiations, lost his head and missed many a chance to score a telling point. From the start he showed his temper. Toward the close, it looked for a time as if there would be a free-for-all fight.

Just before the compromise was reached, Berger in an undertone declared that "I'll go over and hit that black man" at the same time applying another epithet besides black.

This remark was carried to Johnson, who warned Berger never to call him that name again.

Berger denied he had said anything of the kind, but Johnson's followers declare he did and muttered among themselves that if Berger repeated what he said, he would never leave the room.

"You're just an educated dog", said Johnson to Berger. "Now come out and fight if you want to. I'll give a thousand dollars if you will come right out with me and box just three rounds." They were finally quieted and the session was resumed.

JEFF TAKING IT EASY

Played Hand Ball In Morning—Fished In Afternoon.

Ben Lomond, May 16.—Because of extreme hot weather J. J. Jeffries confined his work today to the morning and devoted the afternoon to fishing in company with Harry Green, of Santa Cruz. Bag punching and handball comprised the morning exercises.

Jeffries took off something like four pounds.

"I worked hard enough in that hand ball court this morning to entitle me to a vacation this afternoon. Jeffries explained just before starting on his fishing trip.

A couple of red blotches that may turn out to be eruptions of the kind which set the big fighter back two weeks ago, probably had something to do with his failure to work this afternoon. Jeffries apparently displayed little interest in the selection of a referee.

ZBYSZKO DEFEATS ROLLER.

First Fall Finished the Match—Roller Injured.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 16.—Stanislaus Zbyszko, the Polish wrestler and a candidate for Frank Gotch's title as of Seattle, in a finish match. Rollers' of Seattle, in a finish match. Roller's left shoulder was badly wrenched when the Pole slammed him to the mat for the first fall.

It was announced that Dr. Roller was returning to the ring for the second bout against the advice of his seconds and when he reappeared it was seen that his arm hung helplessly by his side. Zbyszko quickly got behind his man and when he began working upon the injured arm, Dr. Roller's second threw up the sponge. The time for the first fall was 1:05:40 and for the second one minute, 40 seconds.

CARL KELLY CONVICTED

Young Man of Bad Character Who Recently Shot Sam Tayloe.
(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, N. C., May 16.—The jury in the case of State vs. Carl J. Kelly, charged with the murder of Sam Tayloe, after deliberating for about 4o hours today, at 2:30 returned a verdict convicting the defendant of murder in the second degree. Judgment of the court was that he be confined in the State prison for a term of 30 years.

This case has been occupying the attention of the special term of Beaufort County Superior Court for nearly the whole of last week and the case was ably contested on both sides by some of the strongest and most brilliant counsed in the State. Kelly was taken to Raleigh on the evening train today, and will begin serving sentence tomorrow.

Read Star Business Locals.

"RUBE" HOWARD ARRIVES

One of Favorites of Last Year's Crew Came in Last Night.

Baseball fans will be interested and pleased to learn that Rube Howard, the "Old Reliable Rube," arrived last night to join other members of the Sailor crew. "Rube" was a member of the Sailors bunch last year and was a favorite with many of the fans by whom he will be royally welcomed to the city. Howard is a fine pitcher and Owner Smith expects him to do some extraordinary stunts this season. In the practice game at League Park yesterday afternoon, between the Sailors and the Whalers, the former defeated the latter in a six-inning contest by the score of 2 to 1. The weather was rather cool for good ball playing, however. Gehring pitched for the Sailors and Foltz did the stunt for the Sailors, both showing up well. Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week exhibition games will be played with the Mechanics, a fast independent club of Columbia, S. C. They will be the last exhibition games, as the league season opens Monday with Wilmington at Wilson for the first three days of the week.

RECEPTION TO BALL PLAYERS

Social Event of Interest at Boys' Brigade Armory Tonight.

Of interest to a large number is the reception which will be given at the Boys' Brigade Armory tonight complimentary to the baseball players of the Wilmington club of the Eastern Carolina Association. The reception has been arranged by the management of the Brigade for the purpose of giving the people of the city an opportunity to meet the ball players and it is expected that the attendance will be large the general public, with the exception of children, being invited. An attractive programme, announced in Sunday's Star, has been arranged for the event, at the conclusion of which refreshments will be served.

LYON MADE GOOD SCORE

Took Second Honors at Pennsylvania Tournament.

Philadelphia, May 16.—Prominent target shots from all parts of the country are here to participate in the 2th annual tournament and convention of the Pennsylvania State Sportsmens' Association which began today at Highland Gun Club, Edge Hill. In the preliminary events today Lester Gorman, of Aberdeen, Maryland, broke 148 out of 150 targets. George Lyon, of Durham, N. C., was second with 147. The high amateurs were Thomas Tansey and Harry Kohler, both of this city. They each broke 145 out of 150.

INAUGURAL DATE REMAINS.

Question Submitted to House Yesterday Lost by One Vote.

Washington, May 16.—By the lack of one vote the House today declined to accord the necessary two-thirds vote to submit to the several States of the Union the question of changing the date of the inauguration of President and Vice President, from March 4th to the last Thursday in April.

For about an hour advocates and opponents of this proposition aired their views upon the advantages and disadvantages of making the date of the inauguration about seven weeks later than that fixed by the constitution in the hope that the crowds that come to Washington might enjoy pleasant weather while seeing the new administration inducted into office.

The vote was upon the resolution offered by Mr. Henry, of Texas, Democrat, which was reported favorably to the House by the Committee on the Judiciary headed by Mr. Parker, of, New Jersey.

The vote stood 139 to 70, one less than the necessary two-thirds.

POSTAL BUYS TELEPHONES.

Independent System in Tennessee and Alabama Acqured.

Nashville, Tenn., May 16.—As the result of negotiations which have been carried on very quietly for the past few months, one of the local officers of the Postal Teelgraph Company has just returned from a trip to New York with the news that a deal was closed Friday between the New York head offices of the Postal Telegraph Company and the Independent long distance telephone and telegraph company of Tennessee and Alabama by which the Postal acquired all the lines of the Independent company.

This property includes a large slice of territory between Nashville and the Alabama line, including the towns of Columbia, Franklin, and Pulaski as well as many Alabama towns not directly reached by the Postal Company heretofore. All of these lines will be operated strictly as telegraph lines 9: 55 A. M.

Washington, May 16.—Because his wife, it is said, refused to give him money, and jealous of attentions which he believes were being paid to her by others, Frank Fenton, aged 40, a race track follower, today shot his wife, Virginia Fenton, aged 29, and then turned the pistol on himself and blew out his brains. The woman lived about two hours.

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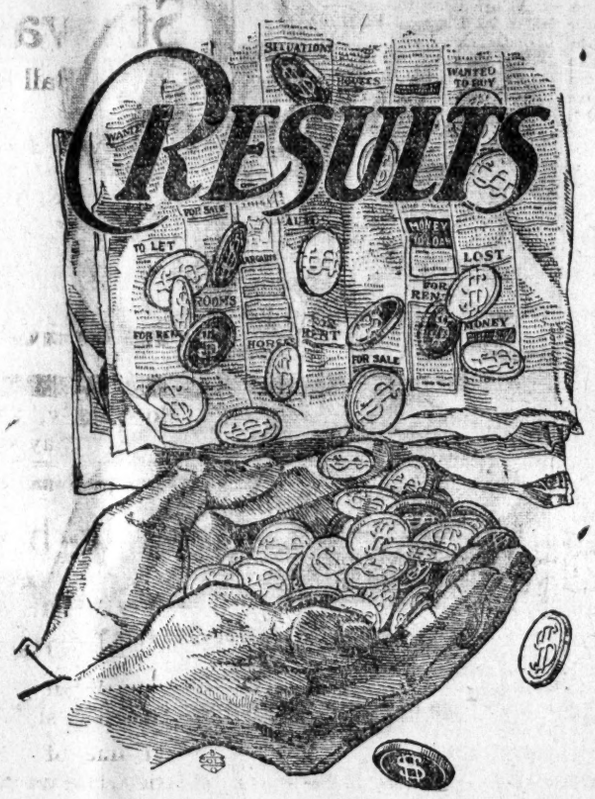

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AUDACITY OF THE IMPOSTOR.

He Deceived Not Only the Sisters, but Even the Wife, of the Man Whose Place He Usurped—The Return of the Real Guerre and the Exposure.

Perhaps the most remarkable case of doubles in all history is that of Martin Guerre, a Frenchman, who was born near Bayonne in the first half of the sixteenth century. Martin Guerre was the son of a well to do farmer and brickmaker, and, as was the custom of the country at the time, he married at the age of eleven Bertrande de Rols, who had then reached the age of ten. For eight years they lived together.

Unfortunately Martin stole a bushel of corn from his father. Frightened by the heinousness of his crime, he deserted his wife and fled to Spain. There he entered the service of Emperor Charles V. and after several years of campaigning seems to have forgotten his wife, Bertrande, and his baby boy, Sancho. At any rate, he ceased to write home, and his family lost all trace of him. His absence stretched on to eight years.

Then one evening a stranger arrived at the inn of the village where the deserted wife was still living. He at once told his host that he was Martin Guerre and recounted the adventures and hardships that had kept him from home so long. The rumor of Martin Guerre's return soon spread, and his four sisters hastened to the hostelry to welcome him home. They found him much changed. He had gone eight years before, scarcely more than a boy. Now he was a mature man, bronzed and bearded. Nevertheless they welcomed him, embraced him and carried the news to his wife. Bertrande hastened to him at once. When she saw him first she started back with misgiving. But he addressed her tenderly, repeated word for word their parting conversation and mentioned details that only a husband could have known. He even spoke of the clothing he had left behind and where it could be found. Bertrande was convinced. She begged forgiveness for her doubts and threw herself into his arms. An uncle arrived. He, too, hesitated, but the newcomer detailed to him all the minutiae of their business transactions eight years before, and he also was convinced.

The upshot of the matter was that this newly arrived Martin Guerre returned home with his wife and lived happily and without suspicion with her for four years. During this time they had two children, and Martin's father at his death bequeathed him a farm.

However, a soldier passing through the village declared that he had seen Martin at the siege of St. Quentin, that he had lost a leg there, but that he was still alive, and the soldier left a written deposition to that effect. The rumor spread that the man living as Martin Guerre was an impostor.

Bertrande at this filed a criminal information against the man to whom for four years she had granted the rights of a husband. He was described in the accusation as Arnault du Tilh and was committed to prison. The prisoner said that the uncle had influenced his wife and that the whole charge was a conspiracy to deprive him of his fortune of 8,000 livres. He submitted to a searching interrogatory, after the French fashion, and answered all questions satisfactorily. He told of his campaigns and revealed the most intimate details of the family history. He relied for his defense, too, on the four sisters who still called him brother, on his four years' life with Bertrande with her consent, and pressed her in the presence of the judges to swear that he was not her real husband, declaring that if she so swore he was ready to forfeit his head. Bertrande refused to take this oath. She was confused by his confident manner.

In the trial 150 witnesses were examined. Of this number forty deposed that the man was the real Martin Guerre, fifty deposed that he was Arnault du Tilh, and sixty declined to pronounce any opinion, owing to the extraordinary resemblance. In spite of the conflicting evidence the judge pronounced him guilty. He at once appealed to the parliament of Toulouse.

On this appeal thirty witnesses were re-examined. Ten deposed that he was Martin Guerre, eight that he was an impostor, and the remainder confessed that they were too bewildered to have any opinion. The judges were sorely perplexed and leaned to the side of the prisoner.

By a curious coincidence just at this juncture the real Martin Guerre made his appearance on the scene. He showed the same marks on his face as those borne by the prisoner. The men were confronted with each other in court. Even the four sisters, who till now had clung to their belief in the prisoner, confessed their mistake. The prisoner lost his nerve, confessed his crime and begged forgiveness. He was condemned to death and executed. The real Martin was restored to his rights.—Conrad Oak in New York Tribune.

Originality.

"Why did you accept George?"

"He was so much more original than the other fellows."

"In what way?"

"He was the one that asked me to be his wife."—Puck.

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A MERCHANT OF FEZ.

Description of His Rise and His Ignominious Fall.

The merchants of Fez are to be found all over Morocco. In due course Ali Mahmoud launches out into business on a large scale. He prospers exceedingly and presently purchases a black female slave to assist his wife in her duties. Ali Mahmoud takes a house in the Medina quarter of Fez, overlooking the pleasant olive groves. In course of time he buys two more slaves and is fairly set up as a householder.

When his first daughter is born there is great rejoicing. The baby is immediately stained all over its little body with henna and then smeared liberally with butter and wrapped in woolen cloths. On the seventh day these are removed, and the child is washed for the first time. When the girl has reached her first year her head is shaved, leaving a little tuft by which Mohammed could catch her up to heaven if he were so disposed. In her seventh year her hair has grown long again. She is then veiled, and her proud father sets about looking for a husband for her. It is still the custom to betroth children from infancy.

Ali Mahmoud prospers, and, save for a few domestic troubles, his life runs smoothly. In the evenings Ali will sit and smoke in the bosom of his family. On Thursdays and Saturdays he visits his friends. They pass the time in simple games of cards or in listening to the weird efforts of itinerant musicians. Our merchant gets stout as he approaches middle age. One day his world tumbles about him. Such is the uncertainty of fate in Morocco.

He was serving in his shop when the customer suddenly raised his voice and cried out that he was getting false weight. The accusation was terrible, and Ali vehemently protested his innocence. It was an arranged charge by an enemy of the merchant, who philosophically bowed his head with the saying: "Kismet! Mine enemy has found me, and the serpent requires milk." The arbitrators are called, and, having been bribed previously, they find Mahmoud guilty and sentence him to the usual punishment meted out to givers of false weights. He is dragged to the southern wall of the city, to a place where a tall gibbet is erected. By the irony of fate it is within sight of his own house. A rope is made fast to his right wrist and hoisted up until his toes can just touch the ground. Here he is left till sunset. The idlers jeer at him, and the gamins of the quarter pelt him with stones and refuse. At sundown his friends carry him home, a poor, bruised and senseless body. Broken and disgraced, thus ended his career as a respectable merchant.—Morocco Cor. London Graphic.

Oil Bathing.

Oil bathing is a regular institution among the Hindoos. An experienced masseur rubs the oil on his patrons, friends or relatives generally once a week. And it is a fact that moles, warts and such faults of the surface of the skin are very rare among them. The newborn infant gets the oil bath daily for forty days. The intervals are then gradually lengthened, but he will be considered a very naughty boy who during his school days tries to shirk the oil bath at least once a week. As a youngster he yells all the time he is being bathed. Perhaps it is good for his lungs. Anyhow, nobody thinks of finding fault with the nurse for the hallooing of her charge, and generally speaking it may be said that Indians have better lungs and better pectorals as compared to the body weight than the Europeans, and the feminine bust is decidedly fuller and more perfect.—C. N. Saldanha in Lancet.

How to Carry Books.

The Philadelphia free library permits patrons to take out six books at a time during certain months.

"If you are not going to wrap those books up let me show you how to carry them," said one of the assistants at the library recently.

Then the young woman slipped a cover of one book inside of a cover of one she placed on the top of it, building up a pile of six books in this fashion, and the man addressed, who was carrying the volumes home to please his wife, the reader of the family, found his difficulties were much lessened.—Philadelphia Press.

Too Much Like Work.

The happy mother of a seven-months-old baby, whose chief business seems to be making a noise in the world, was paying her sister a visit, and the other evening young Master Harry, aged seven years, was delegated to care for the baby while his elders were at dinner. So he wheeled it back and forth, forth and back, the length of the library, giving vent to his sentiments by singing, much to the amusement of the family:

"Gee whiz, I'm glad I'm free!
No wedding bells for me!"

—Ladies' Home Journal.

An Expensive Production.

"You were very lavish with the snowstorm in the third act."

"Yes," explained the manager. "I bought that snow when white paper was not so high as it is now."—Kansas City Journal.

Domestic Note.

"Give the devil his due," he said.

"I'm willing to," she snapped, "but you're in pretty good health, and he'll have to wait."—Atlanta Constitution.

Life without liberty is joyless, but life without joy may be great. The greatness of life is sacrifice.—Ouida.

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THE EAGLE'S EYE.

A Screen That Protects It Against a Too Brilliant Light.

The eagle that stares proudly at the sun has now been found to be no figment of tradition.

M. de Chardonnet, in a paper communicated to the French Physical society, has shown that the eagle's eye has a special apparatus adapted to this feat, though it seems probable that he is not the only bird with this useful possession.

The apparatus is not, however, the "nictitating membrane" which all of us have perceived in looking even at the barnyard fowl. That is a mechanism designed merely to wipe the eye and to keep it clear of dust.

M. de Chardonnet's discovery was made while he was studying the transparency of the central part of the eyes of animals. He had already noticed that the eyes of night birds, such as owls, were more transparent than any other for ultra violet rays, and he had tried to push the experiments further by ascertaining whether they would be affected by ultra violet rays alone.

These experiments failed because of the absence of responsiveness on the part of the birds, which did not appear to manifest any sensation in passing from darkness to light, whether this list was visible to human eyes or not. M. de Chardonnet's failure led him to inquire whether there was any organ of which he was ignorant in the bird's eye, such as would intervene in such circumstances.

While dissecting a bird's eye he was struck to find an organ to which French naturalists have given provisionally the name of the peigne or comb. A better idea of its function would be obtained by calling it a parasol.

This organ is formed of a very thin membrane, black-opaque and situated in the eye where the optic nerve penetrates it. The structure of this membrane is such that the retina is completely masked when the "parasol" is open. It is reasonable to suppose that the parasol is therefore a screen to protect the eye against a too brilliant light, whether the light is visible in the ordinary sense or whether it consists of ultra violet rays.

FINLAND SUMMERS.

Effect of the Famous "White Nights" Upon Vegetation.

The famous "white nights" of the north are a most surprising phenomenon to the visitor from southern climes. It is a weird experience, declares A. M. Scott in "Through Finland," to sit for the first time upon a veranda at midnight and read a newspaper or to walk home from a restaurant at 1 o'clock in the morning and to see people still gossiping at the street corners or strolling along the promenades under a bright, clear sky.

A spirit of rest and peace is over all the earth. The sky is bright, not with the fiery brilliancy of noon, but with a tender, gentle radiance. The colors of the landscape have become softened, but not blended. There are no shadows save for a week or two in June, when the bright northern sky at midnight projects faint, ghostlike shadows toward the south. The sun just dips below the horizon and no more. There is no division between the sunset and the dawn. The same rosy flush serves for both.

Summer in Finland is, in fact, one long day. Never a star is to be seen, and when the first faint star glimmers in the south it is a sign that the summer is past and that the autumn frosts have arrived.

The long light has a marvelous effect upon vegetation, forcing its growth at hothouse pace. The "white nights" account both for the suddenness of the burgeoning and for the intensity of the heat. Land and water have no time to cool. One cannot fail to be struck with the enormous size of the foliage upon the oak and hawthorn trees as compared to that to which we are accustomed. Botanists have explained this as being due to the larger supply of light. It has sometimes been suggested that we may hasten the harvests by the use of artificial lights. Nature herself does this for the Finnish farmer.

The Broadax.

A city man who went out into the Ozarks to learn to make railroad ties was asked by a native whether he was right or left handed.

"If you are left handed," he was told, "you will have to get a left handed broadax."

The city man replied: "I'm wise to this left handed monkey wrench business. I'm from the city, but I know there is no such thing as a left handed broadax." But he was wrong. A broadax is beveled on one side only. A left handed man must have an ax with the bevel on the left side.—Kansas City Times.

All Against Him.

A tailor who was defendant in a case tried in court seemed much cast down when brought up for trial.

"What's the trouble?" whispered his counsel, observing his client's distress as he surveyed the jurymen.

"It looks pretty bad for me," said the defendant, "unless some steps are taken to dismiss that jury and get in a new lot. There ain't a man among 'em but what owes me money for clothes."

Vain Regrets.

Mrs. Benham—How much did you pay the minister when we were married? Benham—Don't ask me. I hate to admit that I paid him anything.—New York Press.

Honors come by diligence; riches spring from economy.—Davis.

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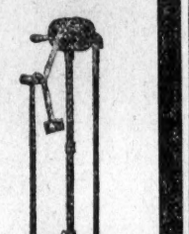

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48	42-86	a	via Petersburg. *Daily.	89-40	83-41	49
*8:30am	*7:00pm	*8:40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am	6 15pm
11 37am	10 05pm	11 37am	Ar. ..... Goldsboro ..... Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am	2 59pm
12 36pm	11 01pm	12 36pm	Ar. ..... Wilson ..... Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am	1 52pm
1 18pm	11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. ..... Rocky Mount ..... Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am	12 58pm
.....	2 35pm	4 35pm	Ar. ..... Weldon ..... Lv.	11 30am	325am	.....
.....	4 00am	7 05pm	Ar. ..... Petersburg ..... Lv.	9 13am	1 40am	.....
5 50pm	a8 35am	.....	Ar. ..... Norfolk ..... Lv.	.....	a7 40pm	*8 15am
.....	4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. ..... Richmond ..... Lv.	8:15am	1 00pm	.....
.....	8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. ..... Washington ..... Lv.	4 20am	10 00pm	.....
.....	9 16am	1 20am	Ar. ..... Baltimore ..... Lv.	2 46am	8 20pm	.....
.....	11 35am	3 40am	Ar. .... West Philadelphia .... Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm	.....
.....	2 00pm	6 30am	Ar. ..... NEW YORK ..... Lv.	*9 25pm	*3 25pm	.....

42-86 and 83-41 carries Pullman buffet sleeping car between Wilmington and Washington connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

48 and 49 carries Pullman Buffet parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42-b85	55-89	51-83	42b85 via Wilson. *Daily	82-50	80-54	
*7:00pm	*3:15pm	*5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12 55am	1:50pm	.....
3:45am	7:25pm	9:20am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am	.....
6:55am	11:20pm	1:35pm	Ar. ..... Charleston ..... Lv.	5:55pm	5:25am	.....
9:20am	2:40am	6:45pm	Ar. ..... Savannah ..... Lv.	1:20pm	12:10am	.....
.....	11 55am	2 20am	Ar. ..... Albany ..... Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm	.....
5 20pm	9 40am	1 45am	Ar. ..... Thomasville ..... Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm	.....
.....	5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. ..... Montgomery ..... Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am	.....
1:50pm	7:35am	8:15pm	Ar. ..... JACKSONVILLE ..... Lv.	7:00am	6:50pm	.....
6:15pm	2:05pm	2:10am	Ar. ..... Sanford, Fla. ..... Lv.	2 10am	2 55pm	.....
10:35pm	7:00pm	7:00am	Ar. ..... TAMPA ..... Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am	.....
.....	8:55pm	.....	Ar. ..... ST. PETERSBURG ..... Lv.	.....	6:45am	.....
.....	10:20pm	1:05pm	Ar. ..... FORT MYERS ..... Lv.	*3:00pm	*6:45am	.....

55-89, 42-85 and 86-50 Pullman service. 51-83 and 80-54 Pullman service south of Florence.

55	51-85	42b85-35	*Daily.	32-50	54
*3:15pm	*5:35am	7:00pm	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	12:55am	1:40pm
7:25pm	9:20am	9:45am	Ar. ..... Florence ..... Lv.	9:05pm	9:30am
9:30pm	11:20pm	5:05am	Ar. ..... Sumter ..... Lv.	5:55pm	7:40am
11:10pm	11:15am	.....	Ar. ..... COLUMBIA ..... Lv.	4:10pm	*1:00am
.....	.....	9:25am	Ar. ..... AUGUSTA ..... Lv.	2:30pm	.....
.....	.....	8:20pm	Ar. ..... ATLANTA ..... Lv.	7 30am	.....
.....	.....	10:15pm	Ar. ..... Macon ..... Lv.	8 35am	.....
.....	.....	1:08am	Ar. ..... Chattanooga ..... Lv.	3:00am	.....
.....	.....	6:35am	Ar. ..... Nashville ..... Lv.	9 30pm	.....
.....	.....	3:20pm	Ar. ..... Memphis ..... Lv.	1 00pm	.....
.....	.....	1:00pm	Ar. ..... Louisville ..... Lv.	2 45pm	.....
.....	.....	4:30pm	Ar. ..... CINCINNATI ..... Lv.	*10 55am	.....

55 Pullman sleeper to Columbia. 35 Pullman service Florence to West. 32-50 Pullman service West to Wilmington. Sleeper may be occupied until 7:30 A. M. in Wilmington.

57	51		50	58
x6:25pm	x5:35am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	x12:55am	x8:30am
x8:10pm	x7:30am	Ar. ..... CHADBOURN ..... Lv.	x11:02pm	x6:45pm
x11:10pm	e1:50am	Lv. ..... CHADBOURN ..... Ar.	e5:00pm	x6:40am
x12:45am	e1:30pm	Ar. ..... CONWAY ..... Lv.	e3:30pm	x5:15am

x Daily
e Daily except Sunday.

53	*Daily.	52
*8 40am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	8 05pm
11 45am	Ar. ..... Fayetteville ..... Lv.	4 50pm
12 10pm	Lv. ..... Fayetteville ..... Ar.	4 45pm
1 40pm	Ar. ..... SANFORD, N. C. ..... Lv.	*3 30pm

62	64	! Daily except Sunday.	65	63
3:25pm	5:50am	Lv. ..... WILMINGTON ..... Ar.	6:50pm	12:50am
5:17pm	7:48am	Ar. ..... Jacksonville, N. C. ... Lv.	4:51pm	10:55am
6:44pm	9:10am	Ar. ..... Nor & Sou. Jct. ..... Lv.	3:35pm	9:35am
6:50pm	9:15am	Ar. ..... NEWBERN, N. C. ..... Lv.	3:30pm	9:30am

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In Effect Saturday, April 30, 1910.

TO THE BEACH.

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SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30, 1:00, 2:30, 3:00 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Lumina 7:45, 9:15 10:45, A. M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15 4:45, 5:15, 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, 9:15 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Lumina, 9:45, 10:45, A M., 12:15, 1:45, 3:15, 3:45, 4:15, 4:45, 5:15 5:45, 6:25, 6:50, 7:50, 9:15 P. M.

TO WRIGHTSVILLE.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M. 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess streets, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M., 1:00, 2:30 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

TO WILMINGTON.

WEEK DAYS—Leave Wrightsville, 6:20 7:55, 8:25, 9:20, 10:55, A. M., 12:25, 1:55 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS—Leave Wrightsville, 9:55 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30 11:30 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE.
FRONT AND PRINCESS
TO CAROLINA PLACE.

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SUNDAYS—Leave Front and Princess 8:22 A. M., and every 5 minutes thereafter until 10:37 P. M.

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SUNDAYS—Leave 17th and Market at 8:30 A. M., and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:45 P. M.

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Lv. Petersburg	10:50 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:35 p m	2:30 a m
r. Cincinnati	7:30 a m	6:25 p m
r. Columbus	6:45 a m	7:05 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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Trains Arrive at Wilmington

No. 40—1:15 P. M.—From Hamlet.

No. 44—12:20 A. M.—From Charlotte and Hamlet.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 53 for Atlanta.

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Very Cordial Appreciation of Ambassador James Bryce of Expression Upon Death of Late King Edward VII.

Mr. James Sprunt, His Britannic Majesty's Vice Consul at Wilmington, has received from the British Embassy, Washington, D. C., a letter of very cordial appreciation of the recent expression of the United Society of St. George and St. Andrew, of this city, in respect to the death of the late King Edward VII.

Under the British coat of arms and upon his personal stationery, with a border of black, expressive of the sadness which follows the death of the King, Ambassador James Bryce writes personally to the Vice Consul as follows:

British Embassy
Washington
May 14th 1910.

Sir, I acknowledge herewith receipt of your despatch of May 9th conveying the Minute of the United Society of St. George and St. Andrew in respect to the death of my late Sovereign King Edward VIIth and to express my cordial appreciation of the sentiments which inspire the Society in regard to this melancholy event. I will not fail to forward this expression of their sentiments as desired.

In the large number of similar messages received by this embassy eloquent testimony is borne to the feelings entertained in the United States regarding the loss sustained by Great Britain and by the civilised world in the death of a monarch, who laboured earnestly and successfully for peace and goodwill among the nations, and who had much at heart the strengthening of the natural ties of friendship and sympathy between the different branches of the English speaking race. You may be assured that these expressions of the regard and respect entertained in the United States for the late Monarch are deeply felt by those who live under the British flag everywhere, in Canada and Australia as well as in the British Isles.

I am, Sir,

Your most obedient, humble Servant, JAMES BRYCE.

James Sprunt, Esq.,
H. M. Vice Consul at
Wilmington, N. C.

CHILD PAINFULLY INJURED.

Horse Attached to Buggy Frightened at Fire Apparatus.

A horse driven by Mrs. E. B. Snipes, who lives on Red Cross street, and attached to a buggy became frightened at a fire apparatus on North Fourth, just north of Princess street, about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and fell or lay down on the four year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Snipes who had gotten out of the buggy. The child was bruised considerably about the face and legs, but not seriously injured. In the buggy with Mrs. Snipes were two ladies and three children and the vehicle had been stopped on the east side of the street. A false alarm of fire was turned in from box 31, Sixth and Campbell streets, and the hook and ladder company went up Fourth street from headquarters at a rapid rate and just as it was passing Engine Company No. 1 a reel wagon was run out. The latter, which pulled to one side to allow the hook and ladder to pass, frightened the horse driven by Mrs. Snipes. All got out of the buggy but Mrs. Snipes, who held on to the reins and doubtless prevented the animal from running. The horse was jumping and fell or lay down on the pavement and the child, who was near, was caught under the animal. The child was carried home and given medical attention.

MRS. MARGARET ELLIOTT DEAD.

Mother of Messrs. George B. and Warren G. Elliott Passes Away.

Friends in Wilmington where the family resided until a few years ago, were shocked and saddened yesterday to learn of the death of Mrs. Margaret Blow Elliott, widow of the late Warren G. Elliott, former president of the Atlantic Coast Line, which occurred yesterday morning at 7:40 o'clock at her home, 1318 North Charles street, Baltimore, Md., in the 60th year of her age. Mrs. Elliott was greatly beloved by all in the circle of her acquaintance and the death is a sad blow to both friends and the family, who have the tenderest sympathy of all in their sorrow. The funeral services will be conducted at St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, today at 3:30 P. M. Mr. Geo. P. Elliott and Mr. Warren G. Elliott, of this city, sons of the deceased, are in Baltimore to attend the funeral. The surviving children other than those named are Mr. Milton Elliott, of Philadelphia; Mr. Chas. Elliott, Miss Mordita Elliott and Mrs. Gordon Wilson, of Baltimore.

The Recorder's Court.

There were only a few defendants before the Recorder yesterday morning and court was of short duration. A case against Jake Whitfield, colored, charged with stabbing Wash Gibson, colored, Saturday night, was continued until Thursday, Gibson not being able to leave the hospital. Whitfield will probably be represented at the hearing by L. Clayton Grant, Esq. W. Thomas, colored, was found guilty of vagrancy and sentenced to 30 days on the county roads. There was one disorderly conduct case and four or five plain drunks, the defendants being assessed the usual amounts.

Death of Little Daughter.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sneeden deeply sympathize with them in the death of their four-months-old daughter, Mildred Sneeden, which occurred at the family residence, No. 614 Castle street, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, following an illness of some time. The funeral will be held from the residence at 9 o'clock this morning and the interment will be in the graveyard on Masonboro Sound.

A Regular Tom Boy

was Susie—climbing trees and fences, jumping ditches, whittling, always getting scratches, cuts, sprains, bruises, bumps, burns or scalds. But laws! Her mother just applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve and cured her quick. Heals everything healable—Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Old Sores, Corns or Piles. Try it. 25 c at Robert R. Bellamy's.

NAVIGATION AND PILOTAGE

Recent Grounding of Two Vessels Investigated—Warning to Shipmasters and Others—Cape Fear Lights Now Certain.

The Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage met in special session yesterday to investigate the recent grounding of two vessels, the schooner "Annie F. Kimball", Capt. Southard, which went ashore outside the bar, and the steamship "Ellen Rickmers", Captain Schultze, which took the ground in the river a few miles below Wilmington. Present at the meeting were Chairman James Sprunt, Commissioners J. W. Harper, M. C. Guthrie and Richard Dosher, and Clerk L. Brown McKoy.

The cause of the schooner "Annie F. Kimball" was first taken up. The Board examined the master, Captain Southard, and also Pilot J. W. Mintz, who was in charge of the ship at the time of the grounding, and after duly deliberating the matter it was ordered that Pilot Mintz be suspended from his function as a Cape Fear pilot for a term of thirty days from date, and also that he be admonished that in case of a repetition of a justified complaint, upon the resumption of his duties as pilot, he would be more severely dealt with.

The grounding of the steamship "Ellen Rickmers" was then investigated, and Captain Schultz, the master, and Pilot C. B. St. George, who brought the ship up the river, were carefully examined. Captain James S. Williams, of the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Company, was then summoned and testified in reference to the proposed lightering of the vessel before attempting to bring her up the river. Captain Wheldon, representing the underwriters, was present at this hearing, through the courtesy of the Commissioners.

The Board then went into executive session, and after carefully considering the case in all its bearings, the Commissioners were of the opinion that Pilot St. George, who has an excellent record, committed an error in attempting to bring this ship up to Wilmington on a neap tide, when she was drawing 23 feet 1-2 inch in fresh water, although the channel may have shown a depth of 24 feet.

It appeared that the first grounding of the ship, out of the channel, was caused by a sheer in steering, and that the second accident, resulting in damage to the rudder, and possibly to the hull, was caused by a submerged log or other obstruction, picked up by the propeller while attempting to turn the vessel's bow up river.

The Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage again warn shipmasters and owners that, in its opinion, no greater depth than 23 feet over the bar, and 22 feet up the river, should be undertaken, except under very favorable circumstances.

Pilot T. M. Morse appeared before the Board and requested that his application for a renewal of license, as well as that of Pilot J. S. Sellers, which had been filed with the Commissioners too late to be acted upon at the last regular meeting, be taken up at this special meeting. Upon examination the applicants were found to be in order, being accompanied by the necessary fee and satisfactory bond, and the Clerk was instructed to issue the desired renewals.

Before adjourning, the Chairman read a letter which he had just received from Senator Overman, stating that on May 12th the Senate passed a bill including an appropriation of $21,000 for improved lights on the Cape Fear river. The Commissioners have been working on this matter for many months, and it is very gratifying to know that the bill at last has been passed by both the House and the Senate and that the improved lights will be placed in the near future.

THIRD N. C. ANNIVERSARY.

Largely Attended and Most Enthusiastic Meeting Yesterday.

One of the most largely attended and most enthusiastic meetings of the Third North Carolina Infantry Association held in several years was that yesterday at the home of Capt. W. H. Northrop, on Wrightsville Beach, upon the occasion of the 45th anniversary of the organization, the oldest veterans' association of either side during the civil war. Members and associate members, eldest sons of the active members, went down on the morning cars and after enjoying an elegant dinner served by Mrs. Northrop, the old soldiers held their annual meeting, re-electing as president Col. W. L. DeRosset, the oldest surviving officer who returned to Wilmington after the war, being the only officer now surviving who brought home his commission, and as secretary Mr. W. L. DeRosset, Jr. Several new associate members were elected and it was decided to hold the next meetinig at Folkstone, N. C., upon invitation of Comrade W. N. Hobbs, as several of the survivors live in that section of Onslow county. Very tender and touching resolutions upon the death of the late Col. John L. Cantwell and Capt. Armand L. DeRosset were passed with feeling by the Association.

It was much regretted that on account of professional engagements which forbade his attendance, Dr. E. J. Wood could not be present and read his very interesting paper containing some reminiscences of his late, lamented father, Dr. Thos. F. Wood, surgeon of the Regiment. The veterans cherish the hope that at another time they may have the pleasure of hearing Dr. Wood's paper.

Failure at Mount Tabor.

Information reached the city yesterday of the assignment of C. M. Soles, a large general merchant operating two or more stores with headquarters at Mt. Tabor, N. C. J. B. Schulken, Esq., of Whiteville, is named as the assignee and it is said that the liabilities will approximate $17,000. Several Wilmington creditors appear in the schedule of secured and insecured claimants. The amount of the assets is not known.

Every housewife "in business"—is a buyer of home supplies—and should watch for buying opportunities as closely as though she were buying to sell again.

COUNTY PRIMARY TOMORROW

Candidate Getting Majority for Senate Will be Nominee—Candidates Working—Mass Meeting Tonight—Mr. Empie.

At a meeting yesterday of the New Hanover County Democratic Executive Committee with Chairman John J. Furlong presiding and Committeemen George L. Peschau, M. W. Jacobi, F. T. Skipper, D. D. George, W. W. King, W. H. Shearin and J. H. Sykes in attendance it was decided that whichever candidate for the Senate, either Geo. H. Bellamy, Esq., of Brunswick, or Fred W. Bonitz, Esq., of Wilmington, is given the majority of the votes in the primary tomorrow, will be entitled to the entire 42 votes of New Hanover in the Senatorial convention.

In other words, if Alderman Bonitz polls a majority of the votes in this county tomorrow he will be declared the nominee of the Democratic party for the Senate and if Mr. Bellamy gets the largest number he will be declared the nominee. Therefore, Brunswick will not figure in the nomination of a candidate for the Senate and as the fight between the two candidates shifts entirely to New Hanover the contest is warming up and both Messrs. Bellamy and Bonitz and their friends are working early and late and will contnue busy until the polls close tomorrow night.

The Democratic plan of organization providing for majorty rule was called to the attention of the committeemen by Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., who also stated that according to the law only one executive committeeman is to be elected from each ward or precinct. Therefore, a voter has a right to vote for only one committeeman. The law at one time provided for the election of a precinct committee of five, this five in turn selecting one of their number for the general committee. This law was recently changed and now only one will be voted for from each ward or precinct.

There is left only one day before the polls open and the candidates for the different county and legislative offices are expected to put in a busy day today. There was much activity among the candidates yesterday. The greatest interest centers around the contest for Recorder there being two candidates in the race, the incumbent, Mr. John J. Furlong and Col. A. M. Waddell. Friends of Recorder Furlong claim his election by a majority of not less than 350. The supporters of Col. Waddell have not given out any figures, but are hard at work and expect the election of their candidate.

The Citizens' Association, the chief object of which is the enforcement of the law in New Hanover County, recently organized, will hold the second and final mass meeting in the Court House tonight, beginning at 8 o'clock. It is quite probable that a number of stirring addresses will be made by prominent members of the association and it is expected that special attention will be called to the revelations made at the inquiries before the Mayor with reference to the large consignments of whiskey received here and the evidence that it is being sold by numerous dealers. The Court House was packed at the first meeting and standing room will probably be at a premium tonight. In another column of today's paper will be found an advertisement which explains more fully the object of the meeting tonight.

There were persistent rumors on the streets yesterday afternoon that Brooke G. Empie, Esq., had withdrawn from the race for the Legislature. These were promptly denied by the friends of Mr. Empie and last night there came by long distance telephone from Mr. Empie at Newbern, where he was called on important legal business yesterday, the following card:

"Information has reached me here that I have resigned from the Legislative race. There is NO truth in the report. I am in to the end. Platform: Commission government for the City of Wilmington. The no fence law of which I was accused of passing, was passed by Mr. Willard either four or six years before I ever entered the Senate and never has been changed in any particular since.

BROOKE G. EMPIE.

NOT EXPECTED TO RECOVER.

Little Hope for Wash Gibson, Col., Stabbed Saturday Night.

Little or no hope is entertained for the recovery of Wash Gibson, colored, about 35 years old, who was seriously stabbed in the left chest, in the region of the heart, Saturday night by Jake Whitfield, colored, who surrendered to Assistant Chief of Police Burnett a few hours after the difficulty. The attending physician notified Chief of Police Williams yesterday afternoon that the recovery of the negro was doubtful and that if he wanted any statement he had better go out to see him during the afternoon. In company with a Star representative Chief Williams went to the hospital yesterday afternoon and secured a statement from the negro, substantially as follows: "I met Jake Whitfield Saturday night, May 14th, near Seventh and Brunswick, and I told him that I begged his pardon for any hard feeling between us and that he accepted the apology. I went down Fourth street and a short time later went up on Whitfield and my brother, Thomas Gibson, talking on Harnett, between Eighth and Ninth streets. When I approached Whitfield came toward me and stabbed me and then ran off."

Whitfield, when he surrendered, stated that he cut Gibson in self-defense; that Gibson was slashing him with a knife when he got hold of him and stabbed Gibson in the chest. Whitfield's clothes were cut in several places, tending to bear out his statement that Gibson was endeavoring to cut him. It appears from Whitfield's version of the affair that Gibson became enraged with him because he told his (Gibson's) paramour that Gibson had not been spending any of his evenings at his house, which was contrary to a statement made by Gibson to the woman.

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BUDGET AND TAX ORDINANCE

Will be Sent Over to Board of Audit and Finance as Coming From Mayor and Four Members of Aldermanic Body.

The meeting of the Board of Aldermen called for 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon to consider the budget and tax ordinance for the fiscal year did not materialize, only four members and the Mayor being present. It was openly charged that the other six members, or a portion of them, purposely remained away in order to defer action on the near-beer license tax until after the primary Wednesday.

However, those present went over the budget and tax ordinance as it came from the finance committee and the same will go to the Board of Audit and Finance tonight bearing the signatures of the Mayor and the four members present. Some of the matters in the budget may be acted upon by the Board of Audit and Finance without formal action by the Board of Aldermen, but the budget and tax ordinance will probably be used mostly for information at the meeting tonight.

There were present at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mayor Walter G. MacRae, Aldermen Fales, Ellis, Stone and Ellis; Clerk John J. Fowler, City Attorney Herbert McClammy; Capt. T. D. Meares, clerk to the Board of Audit and Finance, and Mr. T. W. Wood. There was some discussion as to whether matters to be attended to could be transacted with only four members present. City Attorney McClammy looked up the ordinances and stated in order to hold a meeting it would be necessary to have a majority of the board present. The budget as arranged by the Finance committee was then read by Chairman Hall and each item discussed and considered by the four members present and adopted by them practically as recommended by the finance committee.

Under the head of general expenses the budget provides for salaries as follows: Mayor, $1,200; clerk and treasurer, $1,500; assistant clerk and treasurer, $400; commissioner sinking fund, $400; clerk to Board of Audit and Finance, $1,500; attorney, $300; collector, $400; Aldermen, $100 each, or $1,000; city engineer, $700; a total of $8,440. The collector above referred to has been used by the city clerk and treasurer and the finance committee recommends that an arrangement be made with the Police and Fire Commission to detail one of the police officers to do this work, in connection with other duties. Under the same head the budget provides for lights, $200; fuel, ice, etc., $500; tax listing and books, $550; commissions on back tax collecting, $300; stationery, advertising and incidentals, $1,000, making a grand total of $10,990 for general expenses. The budget for the police is to be made up by the Police Commission. The amount last year was $36,017. Under the head of Streets and Wharves the budget provides for the following: We suggest that a fund of $2,000 be appropriated for the use of Streets and Wharves Committee for purpose of patching streets, repairing drain and sewers, cleaning ditches and any other emergency when not feasible for the Street Commission to act promptly. For street cleaning—superintendent, $960; new teams, $500; new carts, $100; new street sprinkler, $500; labor, keep of team, etc., $18,000, making a total of $23,000. Public buildings—janitor, $720; repairs to City Hall, $500; furniture and fixtures, $300; incidentals, $150; $166, a total of $18,100. Markets—tendent of health, $900; health and fumigation officers (1) $720; health officers (2), $1,320; dairy inspector, $600; clerk to superintendent of health, $300; disinfectants, $350; contagious diseases, $300; incidentals, $100, a total of $4,590. Scavenger equipment—Four mules, $700; four carts, $176; four sets harness, $84; tools, $20, a total of $980. Street lighting—120 arc lights, 104 Tungsten lights, 136 gas lights and incidentals. $18,596. The budget for the fire department is to be made up by the Police and Fire Commission. Last year the amount was $34,630. Water and Sewerage—Interest on bonds, $18,000; incidentals, $100, a total od $18,100. Markets—Clerks, $720; repairs, $500; lights, $700; stationery, insurance, etc., $150, a total of $2,070. Special accounts—Hospital, $6,000; military, $600; library, $1,700; a total of $8,300. Miscellaneous—Legal expenses, $1,000; refund of taxes, $100; emergent fund, $5,000; special fund for use of Mayor in city's interest as he sees fit, $2,500, a total of $6,600. Bond and Interest account—Coupons, $35,000; sinking fund, $3,500, a total of $38,500.

The tax ordinance for the next fiscal year was then taken up and comparatively few changes were made, but the changes are of great interest. The first section was so changed as to make the special license tax apply to all business, trades, professions and occupations of persons outside the city within one mile of the limits. The tax on agents for brewers was increased from $100 to $1,000; tax on near-beer, beerine, or any drink, under any name or description whatsoever, containing one-half of one per cent. alcohol, or more, increased from $100 to $1,000. The Mayor and members of the board present thought this already acted upon, but it came up with the other changes. The tax of $150 on circuses with or without menageries, was allowed to remain at $150 a day of 24 hours, but it was decided to charge an additional $50 for the privilege of street parade. Schedule 43 regarding exhibitions was changed so as to include carnivals. A tax of $5 will be required for each separate show, whether given under canvas or not, and where a continuous performance is given a tax of $20 a day is provided. Ferries were changed from $7.50 a quarter to $10 a quarter and tax on ice manufacturers of capacity of 20 tons a day or more was changed from $75 to $100 a year. The tax on pressers or cleaners of clothes will remain at $3 per quarter for those employing one hand or more. The one-armed man will not have to pay a tax. The tax on restaurants, lunch and eating houses remains the same, but no license will be granted without approval of Mayor and he intimated that he would like to close a majority of such places. The tax for collecting rent or toll for use of sewers was changed from $25 to $30 a quarter.

The budget and tax ordinance as outlined above will go over to the Board of Audit and Finance tonight with the signatures of the Mayor and the four Aldermen at the meeting yesterday.

UNITED STATES COURT.

Short Sessions Yesterday—Admiralty Cases to Special Master.

There was very little doing in United States Circuit Court yesterday and court was in session only a short time. The admiralty cases set for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week were referred to E. S. Martin, Esq., Special Master, which leaves the court with practically nothing to do before Thursday. The cases referred to Mr. Martin for taking evidence and findings were those of steamer Manchester Miller against the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company and 2,855 tons of salt, and P. T. Dicksey, master of tugs Cadet and Lillie, J. T. Sellars, master of tug Navassa, John W. Harper, master of the steamer Wilmington, and Edgar D. Williams, master of the tug Sea King, against the steamer Jarlsberg. The latter case involves money for salvage and grows out of the recent large Seaboard fire, when the steamer had a narrow escape from destruction by the flames. The case of the master of the Sea King has been settled out of court, it was announced yesterday by George Rountree, Esq. Announcement was also made that the case of Furness Withy & Co., against 1,000 bags of basic slag and the steamer Richmond had been settled out of court.

At the afternoon session of court Judge Boyd heard argument of counsel on a motion to remand to the State courts the case of Henry Short, A. B. Skelding, et al., against the Waccamaw Lumber Company. Appearing for the plaintiffs were Rountree & Carr while the defendant company was represented by Meares & Ruark. The motion was granted. The jury was excused until Thursday morning at 10 o'clock when the first jury case of the week is set for trial.

WATER PIPE BURSTED.

Chesnut Street, Between Second and Third, Flooded and Damaged.

Yesterday morning at 1 o'clock when the fire department was called to a small blaze in a house occupied by a colored woman on Fifth, between Bladen and Harnett streets, and when the water pressure was applied through the new 24-inch main upon which Wilmington is depending for her better service in this respect, another section of the old eight-inch pipe relaid in building the new system bursted at Second and Chesnut street and flooded the entire block on Chesnut, between Second and Third streets, doing considerable damage to the macadam on that thoroughfare. Foreman Jas. D. Mote was notified and quickly cut off the water at intersecting streets until repairs could be made. This is said to be the fourth time that the old pipe purchased from the Clarendon Waterworks Company has given way after being relaid when the water pressure was increased and grave fears are entertained in some circles that when the full pressure is applied, this old pipe will not stand the test. The matter is being carefully investigated by the Water and Sewerage Commission with a view of determining the responsibility.

In reading store ads most people are looking for definite information about some particular article—hence merchants should quote prices always.

Some of Its Advantages

In addition to its excellent facilities, this bank has the advantage of the long and successful banking experience of its officers, the recognized integrity and sound judgment of its Board of Directors, and a strong body of stockholders, whose standing and responsibility gives to Wilmington a financial institution second to none in the South, from the standpoint of FINANCIAL STRENGTH and GOOD MANAGEMENT.

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MR. JAMES B. HUGGINS DEAD

Aged Citizens and Confederate Veteran Died at Home Here—Funeral With Confederate Honors Today.

The death of Mr. James B. Huggins, a well known citizens and Confederate Veteran, occurred at his home, No. 705 Dock street at 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning, following a critical illness of several days and was learned of in the city and elsewhere with much sorrow by his many friends and those of the family.

Mr. Huggins was 71 years old and has long been a resident of this city, serving a term on the Board of Aldermen some 20 years ago. He served through the four years of the war between the States as quartermaster and paymaster and was a member of the Cape Fear Camp of United Confederate Veterans. He was born in Onslow county and was highly esteemed by a large concourse of acquaintances here and elsewhere.

Surviving of the immediate family is a wife, daughter and son, the two latter, Mr. E. T. Huggins, and Miss Nan Huggins, of this city. He also leaves a brother and three sisters, as follows: Mrs. D. G. White, Mrs. S. G. Hall, Miss Allie M. Huggins, and Captain G. W. Huggins.

The funeral will be held from the home this morning at 1:3 o'clock conducted by Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and will be attended by his comrades of local camp of Veterans in a body. The remains will be interred in Oakdale cemetery. Veterans are requested to assemble at the armory this morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Huggins was for many years a leading grocer of the city until within the past few years, his failing health orbade his engaging in business to any large extent. He was universally esteemed wherever he was known and the community suffers a loss in his passing. The bereaved ones have the enderest sympathy of all in their great bereavement.

COLLECTOR KEITH MAY WIN.

President May Ignore Recommendation of Committeeman Duncan.

(T. J. Pence in News and Observer.)

Washington, D. C., May 14.—There is a story in circulation here tonight that the President is going to throw down National Committeeman Duncan and appoint B. F. Keith collector of customs at Wilmington for another term. Duncan recommended a man by the name of King, and it is claimed that the President has declared he will not give the appointment to him.

Meeting of Bible Class.

Company A. Bible Class of the Boys' Brigade met last night at 7:15 o'clock for study, led by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor of the First Baptist church. There was a large attendance of the members of the class and the address on "Prophecies Concerning Christ" was listened to with much interest. Following the meeting of the Bible Class, C. C. Loughlin, Esq., addressed the Brigade on "The Comet."

—At 10 o'clock last night the firemen were called out in response to an alarm from box 14 on account of a small blaze on the roof of the house at 114 Brunswick street, owned by Mr. C. P. B. Mahler and occupied by Pheboe Moore, colored. Damage, $2.

$25.00 lady's hat given away as a free premium at Gaylord's today.

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Monday, May 16th, we will place on sale our 50c Tussah Silk in all shades 27-in. wide at 38c per yard.

Tuesday, May 17th, we will place on sale a lot of $1.00 Umbrellas, 26-in. Gents and Ladies Handles at 50 cents each.

Wednesday, May 18th, an odd lot of W.B. Corsets, Warners, American Beauty and Glove Fitting Corsets worth $1.00 and $1.50 price 50cts this day.

Thursday, May 19th, we offer a Ladies $2.98 Mull Lace Trimmed Shirt Waist in all sizes for $2.25 each, also Ladies $2.50 Linonette Dresses this day for $1.85.

Friday, May 20th. we offer the balance of our stock of 36-in. Colored Foulard Silks, sold for $1.25 per yard, at 85 cents.

Saturday, May 21st, we offer our 50c and 75c Gents Percale and Plaited White Bosom Shirts, also our stock of 50c Gents Underwear at 35c a garment.

You will find the Ladies Home Journal Patterns at our store; there is no pattern being sold that gives as much satisfaction as does this pattern.

Our stock is always complete.

Quarterly Style Books on sale for 20cts. which includes free a 15ct pattern.

The Ladies' Home Journal Pattern No. 5257

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Brief Mention, News of Societies, Meetings, Etc.

Mrs. A. E. Wilkinson, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. S. Lathrop, in the city.

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Hon. John D. Bellamy left last evening for Washington and New York on a business and professional trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Triplett, of Charlotte, are guests of Mrs. Triplett's mother, Mrs. J. T. Smith, on South Third street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, who have been spending some time at Airlie-on-the-Sound, left last night, returning home in the North.

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The many friends of Mr. Walker W. Vick, of New York, were delighted to have him in the city over Sunday. He returned to New York yesterday.

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The Durham Herald of 15th says: "Mrs A. C. Bridgers left yesterday for Wilmington where she will spend a few days on a visit to her daughter, Miss Emily Bridgers."

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Mr. Alf H. Yopp returned Saturday from Baltimore where he went to consult Dr. Phinney by whom he was operated upon several years ago. Mr. Yopp while in Baltimore, had the pleasure of seeing Mr. H. W. Malloy and brings most encouraging news to friends from his bedside.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tenche C. Cox and party, who have been spending some time on Wrightsville Beach during the early Spring, left yesterday afternoon, returning to their home at Asheville. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Boatwright, who will spend some time in Asheville, the guests of friends and relatives.

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Saturday's Charlotte Chronicle: "Miss Rena Johnston, of Wilmington, who is the charming guest of Miss Annie Wilson, on South Tryon street, will return to her home Monday. Miss Johnston, who has visited in Charlotte on many previous occasions, has made many friends in this city. Since arriving last week she has been the recipient of many charming social events. In her honor Miss Wilson entertained charmingly for her at an afternoon tea. Miss Louise Wadsworth was hostess to a most delightful porch party in Miss Johnston's honor. Mrs. Thomas H. Wright entertained in her honor at an elaborate dinner Thursday evening and this morning Mrs. Robert L. Tate invited a number of friends to meet Miss Johnston, at her home on Tenth Avenue."

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CHARMING ORGAN RECITAL AT ST. MARY'S, RALEIGH.

The following from the Raleigih News and Observer of recent date regarding the organ recital of Miss Ila Adele Rountree will be read with much interest by many friends in Wilmington:

"The organ recital given last evening in the chapel of St. Mary's school, by Miss Ila Adele Rountree, a member of the senior class, was greatly enjoyed by all who heard it. The programme was varied and well arranged, and Miss Rountree's rendering of it was a credit to her own musicianship and to the instructions of Miss Bertha M. Luney with whom she has been studying.

"Miss Rountree's pedalling is unusually good for so young an organist, and she plays with taste and with true appreciation of her instrument. She also proved herself a good accompanist for both violin and voice.

"Miss Rountree was assisted by Miss Emilie Rose Knox, violinist, and by Mr. Henry Grady Miller, baritone. Miss Knox is a young player of genuine talent and ability who never fails to delight her audience; while Mr. Miller's rich, sympathetic voice which is becoming well known in Raleigh, was at its best in the two selections for last evening's programme."

The programme was as follows:

Toccata and Fugue in D Minor, Bach.
Consolation and Spring Song, Mendelssohn.
Miss Emilie Rose Knox.
Hymn of the Nuns, Wely
"One Sweetly Solemn Thought", Huhn
Mr. Henry Grady Miller.
Sortie in D. Minor Rogers
Overture—"Midsummer Night's Dream," Mendelssohn
Legende, Bohm
Miss Knox.
Les Contemplations Ascher
Lead Kindly Light, Pinsuti
Mr. Miller.
Offertoire, Wely

PARDON FOR WESLEY TAYLOR.

Negro Convicted Nearly Year Ago of Highway Robbery Released.

Sunday was a glad day for Wesley Taylor, colored, of Atlanta, Ga., convicted in New Hanover Superior Court last July of the charge of highway robbery and sentenced to 12 months on the county roads. Through the efforts of his attorney, W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., Governor Kitchin Saturday signed a pardon for the negro, who was released late Sunday afternoon and left yesterday for his old home. Taylor came here last Summer on a negro excursion from the Georgia metropolis. One of the excursionists was robbed on one of the streets of this city and Wesley Taylor and "Son" West, both members of the party, were arrested and tried on the charge of committing the robbery, both being convicted and sentenced to 12 months each. A few weeks ago the mother of Taylor employed Mr. Turner to take up the matter of securing a pardon for her son. A number of Atlanta people gave the negro a good reputation and it was also shown that the negro claimed to have been robbed had been indicted in Atlanta at one time by Taylor, found guilty of the charge and released, after which he declared that he would get even with the negro that caused his arrest.

Perfect Ice Cream.

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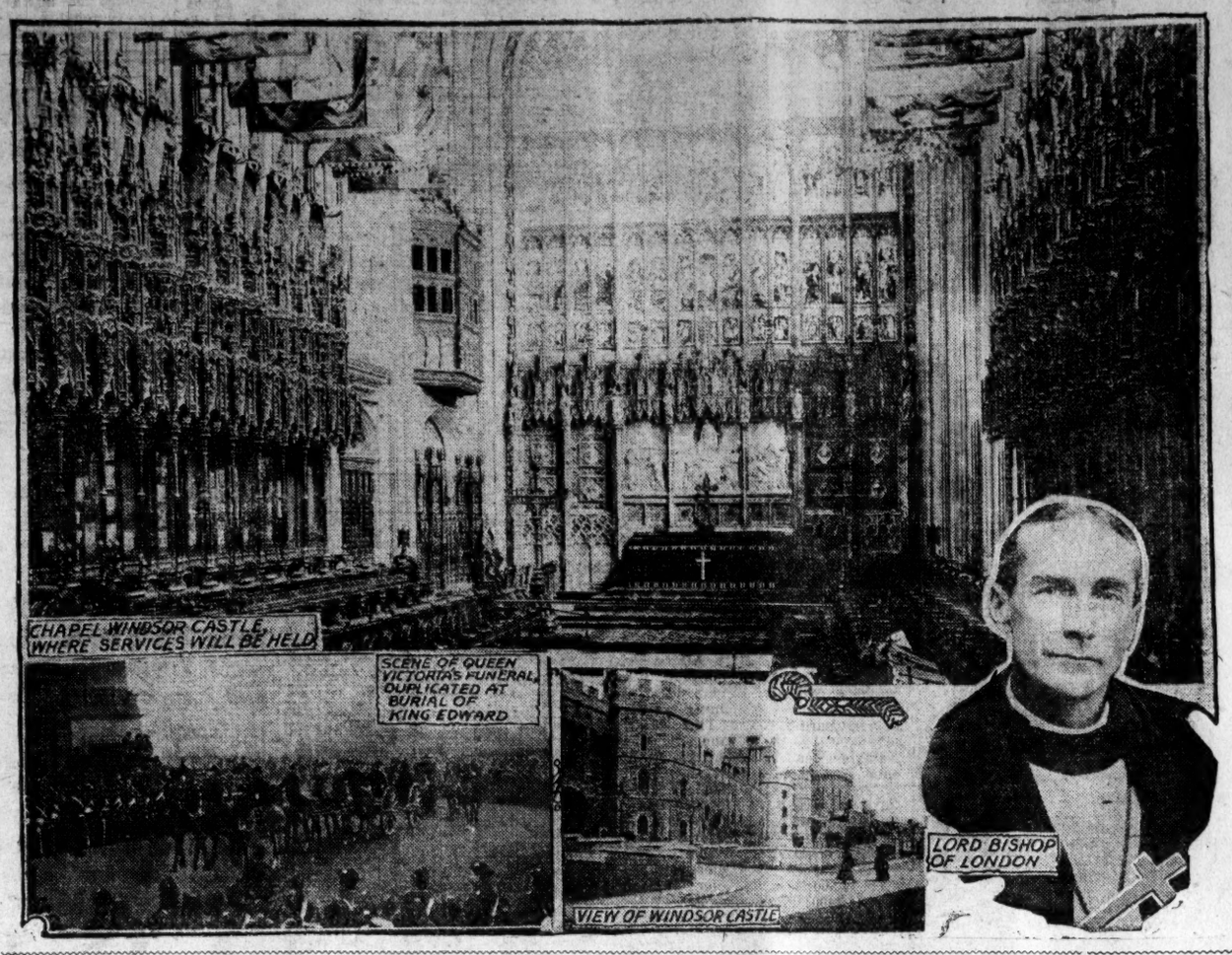

CHAPEL WINDSOR CASTLE, WHERE SERVICES WILL BE HELD
SCENE OF QUEEN VICTORIA'S FUNERAL DUPLICATED AT BURIAL OF KING EDWARD
VIEW OF WINDSOR CASTLE
LORD BISHOP OF LONDON

LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner William Thomas Moore, Capt. Griffith, arrived Sunday from New York with cargo of cement for the Seaboard. The vessel is to C. D. Mamitt.

—Messrs. Frank B. Schirch, cornetist, and Felix Muetze, 'cellist, the latter of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, the advance guard of the Kneisel Orchestra of 16 pieces for the Summer, arrived yesterday. Other members will arrive during the week.

—Mr. T. E. Davis, of No. 315 South Seventh street, is again this season the first reported to have green corn from his garden. He brought to the Star office a well matured roasting-ear and is five days ahead of his last season's record.

—By deed filed for record yesterday The American Suburban Corporation transfers to Thomas P. Jowers, for $275, lot 18 in block 25, "Carolina Place," the same being on south side of Perry avenue, 165 feet west of 21st street, 33x113 feet in size.

—Constable Savage yesterday arrested Mary Onslow, alias Mamie Hollis, colored, on the charge of assault with deadly weapon, towit, a water pitcher, on Mattie Cameron, colored. She gave bond for appearance at trial before Justice Harriss Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

—J. D. Devane instituted in Superior Court yesterday claim and delivery proceedings against James Holland for a mule. The papers were placed in the hands of the Sheriff and served, but Mr. Holland gave replevy bond of $200 and took the mule back, pending final adjudication of the case in Superior Court.

—Bruce Lucas, a white man, was arrested yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff A. T. Piver on a peace warrant sworn out by Mrs. Annie Cumming before Justice Bornemann. The persons involved reside in Kidder's avenue. The defendant gave bond for his appearance at trial at 10 o'clock this morning.

DR. KILGO'S ELECTION.

News Received With Much Interest in Wilmington—Successor.

A private telegram yesterday morning to Mr. Wm. E. Springer, a member of the Board of Trustees of Trinity College, from Rev. W. L. Cunningim, presiding elder of the Wilmington District, conveyed to many Wilmington friends the first news of the election of Dr. John C. Kilgo as one of the Methodist Bishops by the General Conference of the South Church at Asheville, news of which is carried in the telegraphic columns of the Star today. Mr. Springer at once wired a message of congratulation to Dr. Kilgo, whose friends in Wilmington are elated that he and Dr. Denny should have been chosen on the first ballot as two of the Bishops to be elected at this conference.

The election of Dr. Kilgo to the Bishopric suggests that Trinity College losses a very strong man at its head and already there is talk of his successor. In the faculty there are several strong men, who would appeal to the trustees as fit executives to succeed Dr. Kilgo, but the sentiment seems not yet to have been crystalized to that extent that a forecast may be made. Dr. Brooks and Dr. Few, both of the faculty, are spoken of in this connection.

ARMOUR CO. SECURES SITES.

Said to Have Purchased Property of Cape Fear Lumber Co.

The property of the Cape Fear Lumber Company, on the river front beyond the Seaboard Air Line terminals, is said to have been purchased by the Armour Fertilizer Company to be used for a large distribution plant for fertilizers. The plant of the Cape Fear Lumber Company was destroyed by fire some months ago and has not been rebuilt. It is understood that the property was placed on the market some weeks ago, the price being fixed at $135,000.

Theatrical

Reinfield's Lady Minstrels opened a week's engagement at the Academy yesterday afternoon and held forth again last night. The attraction proved a delightfully jolly one and thoroughly refined. The show is a great novelty.

The audiences last night were immense in size and the performances appealed strongly to the many ladies present. The performance opens with a regular minstrel first part, in which the clever maidens present a swell melange of merry songs and new jokes. The first part is bright and snappy and is a "big hit", being thoroughly refined in every way.

Following the "first part" comes a splendid olio composed of clever, up-to-date acts. Miss Esther Roberts does a clever sketch, assisted by the entire company; the Drisdell Sisters, appear in a dazzling, rattling sketch; Miss Beatrice Gibson delights with the latest New York and London song successes, and a swell climax is presented by Miss Lapetite Isabelle in a song sketch.

The dainty charming minstrel maidens will be seen three times daily this week at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and at 8:15 and 9:15 o'clock at night. The price of admission is 15 cents.

At the Bijou Today.

The management of the Bijou announces a very attractive programme for today. "The Conquerer," a homespun drama of a wayward son; "Joseph sold by his Brethren," a story of Biblical history, and "A Mica Mine, the Ullugura Mountains," showing the workings of a mica mine, are the titles to the very interesting pictures that will be shown.

UNVEILING OF MONUMENT

Many Wilmingtonians Went to Southport Sunday for Exercises.

In the presence a large number of Wilmington and Southport people, the monument erected in the Southport cemetery by Live Oak Camp, Woodmen of the World, of this city, to the memory of Mr. N. F. Parker, of the latter place, was unveiled Sunday afternoon with beautiful and impressive exercises. The programme published in The Star last Saturday was carried out. The address was made by R. W. Davis, Esq., of the Southport bar, and those who heard it declare that it was one of the best and most eloquent they ever heard on such an occasion. Members of Live Oak Camp and other Wilmingtonians went down on the steamer Wilmington Sunday morning, arriving at Southport about 2 o'clock and proceeding at once to the cemetery where the exercises took plac . Several hundred people of Southport had already gathered at the cemetery to witness the exercises, which were concluded in time for the Wilmington people to catch the boat on its return trip to this city.

"THE FALL OF MAN."

Subject of Powerful Sermon by Dr. Strickler Tonight.

Dr. G. B. Strickler, professor of Systematic Theology at the Union Theological Seminary, Richmond, Va., preached two strong sermons at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday to large congregations. Dr. Strickler is a deep thinker and is recognized as one of the ablest ministers in the Southern Presbyterian Church. Last night he used as his subject, "The Ten Lepers" and his address was of a most helpful and uplifting nature. Tonight he will use as his theme, "The Fall of Man", considered one of the distinguished divine's most powerful sermons. The public generally is invited to hear him. Services will be held every night this week at 8 o'clock.

The ads will show you whether or not there's a chance today to buy that piece of furniture at your price.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mayor M. C. Guthrie, of Southport, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. W. F. Murphy, of Wallace, N. C., was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mrs. Louis Abelovitz has gone to New York where she will spend some time with friends and relatives.

—Mr. W. B. Cooper was among the week-end visitors to Asheville for the general conference sessions of the Southern Methodist Church.

—H. L. Cook, Esq., of Fayetteville, candidate for Congress in the Sixth district, was a visitor to the city yesterday, a guest at The Orton

—J. M. C. Vann, Esq., of Monroe, spent Sunday here with his uncle, Mayor Walter G. MacRae, returning to his home yesterday afternoon.

—Geo. H. Bellamy, Esq., of Brunswick county, candidate for the Senate to represent New Hanover and Brunswick counties, spent yesterday in the city.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were: W. F. Murphy, Wallace; E. H. Jordan, Newbern; A. W. Knight, G. Frank Bamberg, J. Aldrich's Wyman, Bamberg, S. C., and J. P. Methany, Orangeburg, S. C.

What you may have been calling the "good fortune in business affairs" of someone you know may be simply the courage to advertise.

$25.00 lady's hat given away as a free premium at Gaylord's today.

SHOOTING AT NEWBERN.

Ugly Affair Growing Out of N. & S. Shop Strike.

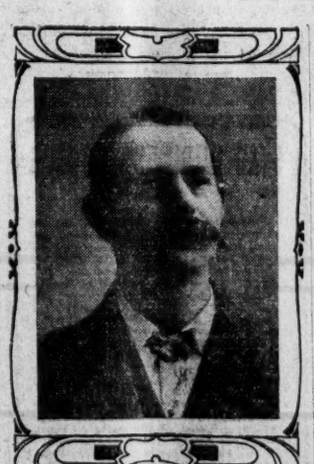
(Special Star Telegram.)

Newbern, N. C., May 16.—A shooting affray the outcome of the recent railroad strike in the Norfolk & Southern railroad shops took place about 6:30 Sunday afternoon at the Norfolk & Southern depot. Mr. G. W. Meredith, a former employe of the N. & S., called a Mr. Gray, a new man a d—n scab, and struck at him. Gray then hit Meredith on the head with two boiler plugs tied with wire which he had in his hand. Mr. Cannon Fulford, a by-stander, also a former N. & S. employe, then knocked Gray down and Meredith then shot him, inflicting a flesh wound in the thigh that is not considered serious. Meredith was cut on the head and bled considerably and was placed under bond for his appearance today at the hearing this evening. Meredith waived examination and was bound over to court under a $200 bond. Gray was also tried and bound over to court under a $100 bond. Fulford was tried for assault, pleaded guilty, and was fined $5 and cost. Meredith and Gray both gave the bond and were released.

Why is Sugar Sweet?

If sugar did not dissolve in the mouth you could not taste the sweet. GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic, but you do not taste the bitter because the ingredients do not dissolve in the mouth, but do dissolve readily in the acids of the stomach. Is just as good for Grown People as for Children. The First and Original Tasteless Chill Tonic. The Standard for 30 years. 50c.

KANSAS MAN GIVES STRONG TESTIMONY



William O. McFarland, a well-known resident of Wichita, Kansas, living at 607 North Water street, that city, is a strong believer in the efficiency of Cooper's New Discovery. In a recent statement Mr. McFarland says:

"As an after-effect of typhoid fever and the grip, I have suffered with stomach trouble for the past three years. I had no appetite, and did not get the proper nourishment from my food. As a result I was very weak, and felt tired and worn out, having no energy nor ambition. I experienced a feeling of heaviness in my stomach and belched a great deal of gas. I tried a number of remedies that were recommended to me and took treatment from several physicians, without any permanent benefit.

"I finally decided to try Cooper's New Discovery, after noticing a number of advertisements in the newspapers regarding it. I found it all that it was claimed to be. Within a few weeks the belching had ceased entirely, and the feeling of heaviness and distress disappeared. I began to relish my meals and soon gained in strength and weight. I was greatly surprised with the prompt action of the medicine, and gratified with the results I obtained from its use."

Persons afflicted with worn out stomachs should try Cooper's New Discovery. There is a heavy demand for the Cooper remedies, for which we are agents in this community.—J. H. Hardin.

WHY COLONEL WADDELL SHOULD BE ELECTED RECORDER.

1. Because he is the only man in New Hanover County who was ever elected to the position, and was not allowed to serve because the recorder's act failed at that time.
2. Because he would not bring the office into disrepute by engaging in petty politics for the purpose of securing a judicial position.
3. Because he will never be lax nor tyrannical in the enforcement of the law, but will enforce it in a reasonable way, administering such punishment as will deter the offender.
4. Because he will not engage in other business in which the public is interested for the purpose of enhancing his own interest.

ma 15 3t CITIZEN.

Mexican MUSTANG LINIMENT

An unfailing remedy for the ills of your Livestock and especially valuable in cases of Caked Udder and Sore Teats in Cows.

Saves Loss in the Dairy.

LYON MANUFACTURING CO.,
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GENTLEMEN:—It seems to me among your claims as to the efficacy of **Mexican Mustang Liniment** you hardly give prominence enough to its wonderful curative power on inflamed and caked udder in cows. I have used it for two years in my stable and since I began its use have not had a case which was not relieved by a few applications. A thorough bathing of the udder with hot water followed by gentle and persistent rubbing in of the "Mustang" will, I believe, cure any case, leaving the teats in good order—unless suppuration has already begun. If all others in the dairy business knew this it would save much worry and loss. Respectfully,

MRS. A. I. YOUNG,
Columbus, Ga. The Pines Dairy.

Mexican Mustang Liniment soothes the afflicted parts while curing them.

IT CONTAINS NO ALCOHOL AND DOES NOT, THEREFORE, STING OR TORTURE THE FLESH.

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We have been in business a long time and have kept our eyes open We have tried about everything there is in the way of Men's and Young Men's Clothing and have drawn many profitable lessons and conclusions.

There is one of them, the man who has from $15.00 to $25.00 to invest in a suit, will find better styles, finer fabrics, longer wear, —in a word, more value in Stein Bloch Clothes, than in any other.

A full line of Boys' and Children's Knicker Cotton Suits and Khaki Pants.

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THE WEATHER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., May 17 1910.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Monday, May 16th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 56 degrees 8 P. M. 61 degrees; maximum 70 degrees; minimum 49 degrees; mean 58 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, 4.22 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Sunday 5.3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Tuesday and Wednesday; light to moderate east winds.

Port Calendar—May 17.

Sun Rises.....5:09 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:08 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 59 min.
High water at Southport 3:05 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:05 A. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. Bunting Drug Co.—If.
Academy—Show For the Ladies.
Southern National Bank—Methods.
W. A. French, Chairman—Notice.
Citizens' Committee—Mass Meeting.
John J. Furlong, Chairman—Notice.
John D. Taylor—To Democratic Voters.
W. A. French, Chairman—Notice to Pollholders.

Business Locals.

Lost—Gold Locket.
A. J. Andrews—Stray Cow.
J. W. Batson—Soft Shell Crabs.
Cherokee Lumber Co.—Wanted.

HOCKING VALLEY TANGLE.

Receiver Appointed for Road Yesterday—Acquired by C. & O.

Columbus, Ohio, May 16.—Attorneys for the Hocking Valley Railway Company for which a receiver was appointed today will apply to Federal Judge John E. Sater tomorrow for an order to head off the receivership ordered by Judge E. B. Kinkead, of the common pleas court. This was officially announced tonight.

Judge Kinkead appointed John M. Sheets, formerly attorney general of Ohio, and Henry J. Booth, a Columbus attorney, as receivers for the Hocking Valley, recently acquired, and held illegal the last election of the Hocking Valley, at which the Chesapeake and Ohio interests asserted their control by the election of Chesapeake and Ohio men as officers and directors of the Hocking Valley.

In the court's judgment the Chesapeake and Ohio was within its rights in buying Hocking Valley stock as an investment, but not for the purpose of controlling the company.

The proposed retirement of $15,000,000 preferred Hocking Valley stock is enjoined also by the court. The decision was announced by Judge Kinkead in a suit brought by three minority stockholders of Columbus, R. E. Westfall, Fred H. Schoedinger and Howard D. Mannington. Mr. Mannington is secretary of the Ohio Coal Operators' Association.

New York, May 16.—The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, which owns a majority of the common stock of the Hocking Valley Railroad Company issued a statement here tonight, reviewing the proceedings which resulted in the receivership today and attacking the plaintiff's in the action.

"The plaintiffs in this suit," says the statement, "acquired a few shares of preferred stock in the Fall of 1909 which holdings were immediately made the basis of numerous demands upon the officers and directors of the Hocking Valley. It has been frequently charged in open court and never denied, that the plaintiffs purchased their stock for the purpose of maintaining this litigation. The plaintiffs claimed that certain transactions were part of a combination between the Lake Shore and the Chesapeake and Ohio to restrain competition between the Toledo and Ohio Central, the Kanawah and Michigan and the Hocking Valley, and alleged that they would be injured thereby. * * * * We need hardly say that the Chesapeake and Ohio and the Lake Shore are not engaged in any combination in restraint of trade or otherwise."

TROOPS PROTECCT PLANT.

Foreigners Threatened Destruction—1,500 on Strike.

Hannibal, Mo., May 16.—Five companies of militia arrived tonight under orders of Gov. Hadley to patrol Ilasco, four miles south of Hannibal, where 1,500 foreign workmen are threatening to damage the $4,000,000 plant of the Atlas Portland Cement Company and injure American laborers.

The men, dissatisfied with labor conditions, struck at noon today and forced the company to shut down its plant, throwing 600 other employes out of work. Several hundred American laborers, who went to Ilasco, from Hannibal, were re-ordered to remain on the train and return home.

The strikers drove everybody else off the streets of Ilasco. County officers, fearing serious riots might result appealed to the governor for protection. The present trouble is the outcome of a strike a year ago. Then the foreigners demanded higher wages. They made no demands this time, but simply quit work.

The strike assumed a serious aspectfi tonight. Reports of fire arms and the shouts or drunken men caused two companies of infantry to hurry there tonight. The clash between the troops and the strikers is feared but no outbreak occurred tonight.

W. J. Hill, a colonel on Gov. Hadley's staff who was delegated by the executive to investgate the situaton reported tonight that he expected trouble. He asked the governor to declare the place under martal law and to order the saloons closed. The strikers were paid off today and immediately after qutting work they began drinking.

Washington, May 16.—For a few hours today the police of Alexandria, Va., believed they had captured a German spy laden with important secret information and having in his possession plans of American battleships. The Navy Department was advised and, although somewhat skeptical, the chief of the Naval Intelligence Bureau sent Lieut. Consteins to Alexandria to investigate. He reported to the department that the only papers found in the possession of the man was a copy of the naval institute, a service magazine which can be purchased at any news stand.

BAPTISTS ON TEMPERANCE

(Continued From Page One)

of complete independence from the Northern Baptist denomination by its action in tabling a resolution setting out a boundary line in the territory of the two bodies and again in its disposition of the communication of the American Home Missionary Society of the Northern convention asking for aid and offering co-operation in the education of the negro for the Baptist ministry.

The special committee to which this matter was sent, reported that it should be referred to the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. The action of this committee is considered as tantamount to a disapproval of the Northern Board in sending the letter to the convention.

The important features were the adoption of resolutions pledging the convention to co-opertion with all Baptists of the world in the work of the World's Baptist Alliance; that the Sunday School Board of the convention be allowed to take upon it the work that has been done in the South by the American Baptist Publication Society and the decision of the committee to allow all new Mexico churches to come into its body.

End of Convention.

Tonight was given over to a missionary mass meeting, at which addresses were made by Rev. C. D. Daniel, of El Paso, Texas, Rev. S. D. Porter, of Richmond, and others. The most largely attended convention in this history of the Southern Baptist church and the one during which all the boards have reported cash receipts breaking all records, then closed, to meet next year at Jacksonville, Fla., on May 17.

Summarizing the work of the convention, it may be said that: It has been decided to enter into no alliance with other denominations; it had been resolved to enlarge the work of the Sunday school board by making it a general publication board; the convention declined to consider overtures from the Northern Baptist Convention respecting co-operative work in the negro schools in the South and delegate from Illinois representing more than five hundred churches, were seated in the convention which also adopted resolution favorable to the home mission board entering New Mexico and all States not hitherto occupied by the Southern Baptists.

AMEND IMMIGRATION LAWS.

To Admit Skilled Labor Favored by Manufacturers.

New York, May 16.—Three important subjects for the consideration of the Federal government were put forward today in the opening session of the annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers. One urges the participation by this country in the building of a deep water canal through Canada as a means of aiding the transportation of ores and grains from the Lake regions. Amendment of the immigration laws to provide more liberal terms for the admission of skilled labor, and steps to see that aliens are distributed in the farming sections where they are needed instead of being allowed to congregate in the large cities, also were advocated. During the day frequent references were made to the death of James W. VanCleave, former president of the association.

The report of the Committee on Interstate Commerce calls attention to the interest of the association in freight rates with the recommendation that preparations be made to oppose an increase in rates as proposed by the Trunk Line Association. Figures are cited to show that at present rates the railroads apparently have prospered.

The subject of immigration was discussed by Ormsby McHarg, former assistant secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor. The problem as he saw it was proper distribution rather than exclusion.

"The problem must be solved by the Federal government," he said. "Even China may and she should resent our treatment of her people. Our reckless disregard for the feelings of these people has cost us the greatest market in the world. A distribution of the immigration from the East coast to the West would make an end to the 'yellow peril.'

"All sections of the country have been benefitted in the past by immigration, with the exception of the South, and the South should be educated in this regard.

CHARLES E. DAVIS CONVICTED

Sent to Prison For 15 Months—Rome, Ga., Attorney.

Atlanta, Ga., May 16.—Charles E. Davis, a well known attorney of Rome, Ga., was brought to the Federal prison here today to begin service of a sentence of 15 months for using the mails for fraudulent purposes. Davis was convicted of participation in the issuance of $50,000 worth of Atlanta clearing house certificates during the 1907 panic. An extraordinary motion for a new trial was denied him by the Federal court at Rome today.

Rome, Ga., May 16.—George W. Clark, alias "London Red", a noted professional safe blower, was convicted in the Federal court here today of burglarizing the postoffice at Ringold, Ga., last December. "Red" admitted his guilt. He was sentenced to five years in the Atlanta Federal prison.

WHITE SLAVE TRAFIC.

New York, May 16.—The efforts of District Attorney Whitman of New York, backed up by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and J. B. Reynolds, in breaking up the white slave traffic promise to bring out a sensation in political circles in many parts of the country. Agents acting under the direction of Attorney Whitman bought four slaves in the open market, the girls being under seventeen years of age in each case and were contracted to be sent to Alaska. While a national crusade has been tried again and again to break up the selling of girls into slavery, not until John D. Rockefeller, Jr., with his millions, took up the matter could the officials secure the proper evidence. Four men and women have been arrested so far, and it is announced that the trial will lead into the very center of political circles of some of the larger cities in the United States.

SHOT BY HIS BROTHER.

Pennsylvania Physician Seriously Injured—Assailant Deranged.

Baltimore, May 16.—Dr. H. Burton Stevenson, a physician of Sherwood, Baltimore county, was shot in the face today by his brother, Allen Stevenson, who is said to be mentally deranged. The wound is not believed to be serious.

The bullet entered the left side of Dr. Stevenson's face below the temple, turned abruptly and ranged downward through the muscles of the neck to the left shoulder, where it turned again and, crossing the back, lodged in the right shoulder. While painful the only danger apprehended from the wound is possible blood poisoning.

Stevenson, whose mental condition has made it necessary for him to undergo sanitarium treatment at times, had been employed on some houses his brother is building at Sherwood, but the work having been finished, he was today informed that there was nothing more for him to do. He appears to have interpreted this as an attempt of Dr. Stevenson to get rid of him and this impression led to the shooting. Stevenscon made some show of resistance to the officers, but was finally lodged in jail. He refused to make any statement.

Dr. Stevenson is very well known. He is the author of a number of medical books and a few years ago startled the medical world by advocating that inmates in asylums be used for medical experiments. Allen Stevenson is a retired engineer in the United States navy.

FLORIDA STATE PRIMARY.

Official Returns Show Close Race of Taliaferro Over Broward.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 16.—Complete unofficial returns from the State primary held last week give Senator Taliaferro, who is running for re-election, 21,045; N. B. Broward, 21,018, and Claude Luxengle, 4,660.

For Congress S. M. Sparkmon was nominated without opposition. Frank Clark defeated his opponent by a large majority, and D. H. Mays will be returned to Congress by a safe majority. The official count wiill be made on May 24th. A second primary will be necessary for United States Senator, and will be held on June 7th.

The race between Senator Taliaferro and Broward is the closest ever recorded in the politics of the State of Florida. The second primary is expected to be one of the hardest fought in the State's history.

MASS MEETING.

At Court House Tuesday Night, May 17th, at 8 O'clock.

All persons interested in good government in New Hanover County and desire to see the law enforced are invited to attend a mass meeting at the Court House Tuesday night, the 17th, at 8 o'clock. Consider the following from the testimony of M. L. Winner before the Mayor on May the 14th as to Association of Liquor Dealers No. 6 and you will see the necessity of co-operation:

"Q. Did you have any rules or regulations, or was there ever expressed in your meeting the purpose of the organization?

"A. Nothing more than it was for the benefit of the elections for Recorder and such as that; campaign funds and such as that.

"Q. The Recorder and other officers?

"A. Well, I never heard any other offices mentioned until Mr. Kellum. Never heard of any but Furlong before Kellum was put in the field.

"Q. What was said in those meetings with reference to these men?

"A. Just ordinary ways; that they were our men and their heart was in the right place and such as that. That we would have to go out of business if we didn't get the right men. Just an ordinary way of talking. In other words, you understand, if Furlong was done for—no more business."

At this meeting the issues will be clearly defined.

ma 17 1t CITIZENS' COMMITTEE.

TRAINMEN'S STRIKE.

Important Developments Expected Within Next Few Days.

New York, May 16.—Important developments are anticipated within the next few days in the railroad wage dispute affecting both Eastern lines and those in the Central West. Count of the strike vote which was ordered recently on the Erie, following the road's rejection of the demands of the conductors and trainmen, is set for today and awards of the arbitrators in the wage controversy on one or more of the lines of the New York Central system west of Buffalo are practically ready, with the possibility that they may be publicly announced at any time.

Many of the roads in the eastern territory have already come to terms with their employes on lines more or less closely following those agreed to by employers and employes on the Baltimore & Ohio system.

The situation on the Erie is regarded by railroad men as the most critical that has so far developed. The road has claimed that it cannot afford to pay the rates granted by the Baltimore & Ohio. The men's representatives have insisted that their services were worth just as much to the Erie as those of their fellow organization men to other lines.

PANIC AT A CIRCUS.

Cry of "A Lion's Loose" Caused Commotion—Injured.

New York, May 16.—A mistaken cry of "the lion's loose" threw a circus crowd of women and children into a frenzy of panic at Newark, N. J., this afternoon, and the pell mell rush seven children were badly crushed and cut, one man fell in a fit, a woman had her shoulder dislocated, and many other persons suffered minor injuries. One little girl had her jaw broken.

The panic occurred outside the circus tent, during the parade. Because of the size of the circus, one of the largest in the country—the streets were packed with sightseers. Suddenly the band struck up. A mounted policeman's horse took fright and bolted straight for the thick of the crowd. Before he could get it under control, somebody shouted, "a lion's loose" and the crowd went mad with fright.

Adults and children rushed for the nearest point of safety, upsetting baby carriages and trampling on the babies in their charge. Some jumped front forward and others bolted for open doors. A nearby grocer's shop was wrecked. The windows were broken, the counters overturned and the floor covered with spoiled goods.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Commerce Court Provisiion Determined—Other Bills.

Washington, May 16.—The feature of the consideration of the administration railroad bill in the Senate was the vote taken on an amendment by Senator Cummins to strike out the sections of the bill to provide for the establishment of a commerce court. This was defeated by a vote of 28 to 37.

A number of other amendments were offered to these sections, but all of them were defeated. Notice of other amendment was given and they will be considerel when the Senate convenes at 11 o'clock tomorrow.

This being a unanimous consent and suspension day in the House a large number of bills were passed. Among the more important measures passed was a Senate bill providing for a system of parole for United States prisoners sentenced for more than one year and who have served at least one-third of their terms.

A resolution introduced by Mr. Henry, of Texas, to change the date of inauguration of the President from March 4th until the last Thursday in April was defeated.

BIG FIRE AT CENTURY, FLA.

Lumber Plant Valued at Quarter of a Million Destroyed.

Century, Fla., May 16.—Five hundred men were thrown out of work and the entire town was threatened by a fire which this afternoon destroyed the plant of the Alger Sullivan Lumber Company and several nearby residences. The loss will exceed a quarter of a million dollars.

THE SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK
of Wilmington, N. C.

Employs only such methods in its business as make banking institutions of positive value. The management of this bank believes that above everything else Stability, Faithfulness and Promptness are demanded on the part of a well managed bank, and upon this basis we invite your patronage.

Capital $200,000.00.

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STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements always call the Star office No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

A STRAY COW—A red Jersey cow with left horn crooked and right nearly straight. Reward will be paid by notifying A. J. Andrews, 1221 South Fifth street. ma 17 3t*

SOFT SHELL CRABS, fancy soft shell crabs, North Carolina hams, nice bacon, boiled ham. All kinds of vegetables and fruits always on hand. J. W. Batson, 'Phone 72. Call them up. ma 17 tf

WANTED—First class millwright and machinist, steady work. Address, Cherokee Lumber Co., Garland, N. C., ma 17 3t

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DONT get the idea that Castle Heights lots are not being bought because they are not advertised in the papers. Sixty odd satisfied customers are doing the advertising. Eight new houses now being built, and more to follow within a month. Now is the time to buy $25.00 down and $5.00 per month is the terms. Lot sold today to Mr. J. W. Hunsley. Let us tell you about it. Your visit requested. J. G. Wright & Son, Real Estate, 124 Princess street. ma 17 1t

WANTED—Loose page Ledger—binder—if in good condition. Cash for good binder Write P. O. Box 382. ma 17 1t

LOST—Between Seventh and Dock on Princess street, a gold locket with initials "J W. M." on front. Reward if left at Star office. ma 17 1t*

WANTED—A good man with 12 teams or more to log mill that cuts 10,000 feet per day. All necessary buildings at mill to take care of men and teams or if you have the team with wagons combined I will buy if prices are right, also want an unlimited amount of long leaf heart pine ties, any size, easy inspection and will inspect and pay cash for them f. o. b. cars anywhere on railroads. For further information come to see or address R. T. Windley, Box 695, office 114 Princess street, Wilmington, N. C. ma 15 3t

THE PROGRESSIVE Rural Building and Loan Association will open the 14th, Series on Saturday, June 4th, 1910. You can subscribe and pay for shares any time between now and then. James Owen Reilly, Secretary and Treasurer. ma 15 3t

WANTED—General representative for success hand vacuum carpet cleaner. Sells for $15.00. The only successful single hand machine on the market. Biggest kind of profits. Write for terms Hutchison Mfg., Co., Wilkesburg, Pa., ma 15 3t

THE MAN TO VOTE FOR—I call your attention to the candidacy of J. P. Herring and seek your support for him. He is a man of high character, a prosperous farmer and well educated man, but one who came from the ranks and a citizen who is constantly in touch with the poor man and the business man. He can bring the country and city closer together and will always do what is right. Be certain to place a cross mark opposite the name of J. P. Herring on the ballot. Voter. ma 15 2t.

A LITTLE LOST MOTION HERE, a little friction there will cost considerable in your typewriter if allowed to go on long. It pays to have your typewriter repaired and adjusted often. Save money by sending it in now, and it will cost less than to have it completely rebuilt. Highest grade work by all factory experts on all machines. J. E. Crayton & Co., Charlotte, N. C. ma 15 3t

FOR RENT—Two rooms on second floor and large hall on Third floor in Peterson & Ruif's building. See Peterson & Ruif's. ma 15 2t

YOU WILL get 25 per cent more eggs and grow more chickens much quicker if you will use our special feed. John S. McEachern Sons. 'Phone 92, 211 Market street. ma 15 2t

INVESTMENT—Four houses and six lots in northern part of city, near the railroad on a macadamized street in the best renting location in the city; will pay 12 per cent. Party withdraws this proposition from the market Thursday, May 19th. Come and see us Monday. J. G. Wright & Son, 124 Princess street. ma 15 2t

JOHN EVERITT for Register of Deeds. ma 13 5t

WANTED—1,000 to 2,000 pounds good tallow. Will pay market price. Delgado Mills Store. ma 13 tf

YOU OUGHT TO SEE—North Carolina Hams and Shoulders; soft shell crabs, chickens, native snap beans and new potatoes; blackberries and strawberries. Extra fine tomatoes and cucumbers. J. W. Batson, Phone 72. ma 14 tf

TO THE VOTERS of New Hanover county. I am a candidate for county commissioner for a term of two years. Subject to the Democratic primary. Respectfully, J. P. Herring. ma 14 4t*

VOTE FOR JOHN EVERITT for Register of Deeds. ma 13 5t

ANNOUNCEMENT—Messrs. Foltz & Kendrick wish to announce that they have taken possession of the U. C. Ellis Studio. They have placed it in a perfectly sanitary condition, and are prepared to make the finest class of portrait work ever shown in Wilmington. ap 24 tf

ARE YOU GOING on your vacation? See Uncle Charley for a good leather suit case, a good trunk, 108 Market street. Just a whisper from Front street. ap 23 tf

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SULTANA OLIVE OIL—Mr. Vafiadi, the Sultana agent here, has arranged to have this oil distributed in the future by Hall's drug store, Fifth and Castle. Pints 50c. Quarts $1.20. Phone orders filled promptly. no 4 tf

LOOK HERE LEWIS! If you want fancy prices for your hides, chickens, S. potatoes and N. C. meats while they are in good demand, ship them to C. D. Gilbert, 212 Market street. ap 17 tf

TRY OUR REGULAR LUNCH from 12 M. to 3 P. M. daily. 25c; prompt service, everything in season; best drip coffee in the city. The Junction Restaurant, corner Front and Princess. Open night and day. fe 5 tf

IF IT IS GOOD workmanship and cleanliness that you are looking for, you can find both at The Orton sanitary barber shop. Six white barbers. Would appreciate a trial. ap 26 tf

ONE NICE second hand dump body cart and harness for sale cheap. Apply to F. P. Lamb, No. 522 McRae street. 'Phone No. 426. ma 13 1w*

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

While I have no opposition, yet I ask that you remember me by giving me a large vote, which will be appreciated. Kindly place a cross mark (x) to the left, opposite my name, on the ballot.

Very Respectfully,
JOHN D. TAYLOR.

ma 17—2t.

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Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases—We have just received a full llne of Cane Suit Cases and Club Bags. We will be pleased to have you give us a call before making your purchases.

Agents for Black Cat Hosiery, American Lady Corsets and Butterick's Patterns. Out-of-town orders will receive prompt attention.

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Tonight—8:15 and 9:15.
Admission—15 cents.
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THOS. F. BAGLEY, Secretary.

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189 Bags Cow Peas.
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19 Boxes L. L. Raisins.
11 Barrels Roe Herring.
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29 Half-barrels Compound Syrup.
33 Half-barrels Fancy Molasses.
48 Cases Sticky Fly Paper.
64 Bags Corno Hen Feed.
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COUNTY PRIMARY LAW AND ITS PROVISIONS

In view of the very general interest being manifested in the new Australian ballot law with which New Hanover will have its first experience in the Democratic primaries tomorrow, the Star is printing the act in full below. While very much complicated at the outset, a majority of voters appear to like its provisions and tomorrow's experience will prove its utility in its present form. The Star is also printing on this page a facsimile of the ballot form that will be used tomorrow.

Chairman W. A. French, of the County Election Board and Chairman John J. Furlong, of the County Executive Committee, were busy all day yesterday in working out all the various features of the new law and while their duties have been and are yet manifold, they believe that with the exercise of a little intelligence and forethought upon the part of voters that there will be no complications at the polls. Arrangements for the primary will be still further completed as a meeting of all the pollholders and registrars at the Court House this afternoon at 3 o'clock for final instructions as to the methods of voting and such other points as to the primary as may appear. Tickets and voting booths will also be given out at this meeting. Chairman French, in order to further simplify matters in inaugurating the new law, has also caused to be printed a large number of handbills which will be liberally distributed at the polls, explaining the ballots and the way of voting. Voters are asked to get copies of this circular and fully advise themselves as to voting before entering the booth as only two minutes will be allowed for marking and depositing the slip. Caution is given that a person may vote for only one person for Recorder, only one for House of Representatives, only one for Senator and that while six names appear on the ticket for county commissioner only five should be voted for; also that while six or more names appear on the ballot for executive committeemen, only one should be voted for. To make the ballot count, the voter must be careful to make his cross mark only opposite name of the person for whom he votes. A cross mark opposite more names than there are candidates to be nominated or any erasure or correction of the ballot with pen or pencil, will invalidate the entire ballot. The various notices as to the primary appear in official form in the advertising columns of today's paper. The full text of the primary law is as follows:

An Act to Preserve the Integrity of the Ballot and Prevent Election Frauds in New Hanover County:

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Sec. 1. That at and in any and all elections hereafter to be held in the county of New Hanover whether for the election of Presidential or Vice Presidential electors or State or township or county officials, or for city officers, or officials or any or all of such officers or officials, the votes shall be by ballots, printed in accordance with the requirements of this act and distributed at public expense and no other ballot shall be used.

Sec. 2. That the printing and delivery of ballot and instruction to voters, judges of election and pollholders, as hereinafter provided for and described, shall be paid for by the county in all elections whatsoever, except in purely municipal elections in the city of Wilmington, and all expenses connected with such municipal elections shall be paid for by the city.

Sec. 3. That the names of all candidates to be voted for in each precinct in said county or city shall be printed on one ballot. The names of all of those who have been duly nominated by any political party or organization of citizens shall be placed under the appellation or title of such party or organization of citizens and the ballot shall contain no other names except in the case of the election of electors of the president and vice president of the United States. Then the names of presidential and vice presidential candidates may be added under the party or political designation. If a constitutional amendment or other public measure be submitted to the people, the question shall be printed on the ballot after the list of candidates. All ballots shall be of plain white paper through which printing or writing cannot be read. There shall be provided at each polling place at each election but one form of ballot, which shall contain the names of all candidates whose nominations for any of the offices specified on ballot have been duly made, together with the title of the office, arranged in tickets or lists under the respective party or political appellation or titles. The list of candidates of the various parties or organizations shall be printed in parallel columns headed by the appellation or title of such parties. Precedence in position of columns shall be given to that party which polled the largest number of votes in the last preceding general election in the county, by placing the list of candidates for such party in the first left hand column of the ballot. The number of such columns shall exceed by one the number of tickets or lists of such candidates to be voted for at such voting place. In the column on the right hand side of each ballot shall be printed the title of all the offices for which electors at the polling place for which the ballot is provided may lawfully vote and underneath the title of each office shall be left a blank in which the voter may write the name of any person or persons for whom he wishes to vote and whose names are not printed on the ballot and in the space above the titles of offices shall be printed in Brevier capital letters "the voters may write in the column below under title of any office the name of any person whose name is not on this ballot and for whom he wishes to vote. No ticket or list of candidates shall contain under the name of any party, more names of candidates for any office than are to be elected. The ballots shall be so printed that each voter shall have a clear opportunity to designate by a cross (X) mark in a large blank circular space not less than one-half, not more than three-fourths of an inch in diameter. At the left of the party appellation or title at the head of the respective list or party candidate his choice of a straight party ticket and a desire to vote for each and every candidate thereunder, or to vote for his choice of any particular candidate or candidates in whatsoever columns or lists of candidates such particular candidates may appear, by making a cross (X) in an oblong enclosed blank space on the left of and before the name of each candidate for whom he wishes to vote. The ballot shall be printed on the same leaf or sheet of paper with a stub and separated therefrom by a perforated line, which said line shall extend the entire width of the ballot and be two and one half inches from the top thereof. On the face of each stub shall be printed in Brevier capital letters the words, "To vote a straight party ticket, make a cross (X) mark within the circle at the left of the appellation or title of the party; to vote for an individual candidate make a cross (X) mark in the space before the name of such candidate; to vote for a person not on the ticket, write the name of such person under the title of the office in the right hand column and make a cross (X) mark in the space immediately before the name. Any mark or erasure made on the ballot except as above indicated will make the ballot void and it cannot be counted. Use only the pens, ink and indellible pencilis provided in the booth." And there may be added such other and further instructions as the County Board of Elections may deem necessary. On the back of the ballot and in the central space (the central one-third of the ballot) thereof, immediately beneath the perforated line shall be printed in Great Primer Roman condensed capital letters the words, "Official Ballot For," followed by the designation of the polling place for which the ballot was prepared, the day of election and a fac-simile of the signature of the officer who has caused the ballot to be printed. On the back of the stub of the ballot in the central space thereof, and at the top shall be a printed line and immediately thereunder at the right hand side thereof, in small letters, the word "Name", under which shall be printed a similar line, and immediately thereunder and at the right thereof shall appear the word, "Precinct". At the lower left hand side of said space on back of the stub shall appear the word, "No.", the usual abbreviation for "Number", followed by the proper consecutive number of the ballot. The ballot shall conform practically to the form hereto attached and marked "Sample Ballot". All ballots shall be printed in black ink and (with the exception of the party appellation or title which shall be in display) in brevier type; the name or designation of offices shall be in Brevier lower case italics and the names of the candidates therefor shall be in Brevier capital letters. Between the names of each candidate and the designation of office under the following such name there shall be a space of not less than one-fifth of an inch except that in the case of Presidential and Vice Presidential electors one-eighth of an inch shall be sufficient. The heading of each party ticket or list of candidates shall be separated from the rest of the ticket by a printed line of not less than one nor more than two points and the circle at the left of the party appellation or title shall be defined by a heavier line than the line defining the oblong blank spaces before and at the left of the names of individual candidates. All the official ballots of the same sort prepared for the same polling places shall be of the same size and arrangement and quality and texture of paper and kind of type and shall be printed with black ink of the same tint, so that when the stub shall be detached therefrom, it shall be impossible to distinguish any one of the ballots from others of the same sort; and the names of all candidates shall be printed in type of the same size and character. If two or more officers are to be elected to the same office for different terms, the terms for which each is nominated shall be printed on the ballot as part of the title of the office. If at any election one representative in Congress is to be elected for a full term and another is to be elected to fill a vacancy, the ballots containing the names of candidates shall as a part of the title of the office designate the term or the vacancy to fill which the candidates are severally nominated. In the blank lines on the back of the stub hereinbefore described, the voter shall be required to write his name and the name of the precinct in which he resides.

Sec. 4. That the ballots shall be printed and in the hands of the county board of election two days before the election and subject to the inspection of the candidates in the race. If any mistake be discovered the same shall be referred to the county board of elections and by the board corrected immediately. All ballots shall be prepared by the county board of election and all ballots for each precinct shall be numbered consecutively beginning at No. 1 and continuing through to such numbers as shall be necessary to supply each such precinct with ballots in three times the number of qualified voters appearing on the books of registration or three times the number of votes cast at such precinct in the last preceding similar election. Such ballots shall be put in separate sealed packages, with marks on the outside clearly designating the polling place for which the ballots are intended and number of ballots enclosed and a receipt therefor shall be given by the judge of election in such precinct.

Sec. 5. That the county board of election shall make such provision that if at any time on or before the day of election the ballots furnished to any precinct be lost or destroyed before the polls are closed there can be supplied to such precinct such additional ballots as may be necessary. These additional ballots shall be supplied only upon written application signed by all the judges of election in such precincts, stating in detail the reason for such request or application.

Sec. 6. That any person desiring to vote shall give his name and if required to do so his residence to the judges of election, one of whom shall thereupon announce his name in a loud and distinct tone of voice clear and audible and if the name is found on the register of voters by the officer having charge thereof, he shall likewise repeat the said name and the voter shall be allowed to enter the space enclosed by guard rail, provision for which is made in this act. One of the judges shall give the voter one and only one ballot, on the back of which the said judge shall endorse his initials in such a manner that they may be seen when the ballot is properly folded and the voter's name shall be immediately checked on the registration list. At all elections when a registration may be required, if the name of any person desiring to vote be not found in the proper registration book he shall not receive a ballot until he shall have complied with the law prescribing the manner and conditions of voting by those having become eligible as electors at a date subsequent to the date of closing the books of registration. Besides the election officers no more than two voters in excess of the whole number of voting booths shall be allowed within the enclosed voting space at any one time.

Sec. 7. That any voter who may be registered under the so-called "grandfather clause" of the constitution of the State or any voters who by reason of any physical disability is unable to mark the ballots, shall, upon making oath to such disability, upon request, be assisted in marking his ballot by two of the election officers of different political parties. Such officers shall mark the ballot as directed and shall thereafter give no information regarding the persons or candidates for whom such voter voted. The judges of election or poll-holders shall enter upon the poll list after the name of the elector who received such assistance a memorandum of the fact. Intoxication shall not be regarded as physical disability and no intoxicated person shall receive assistance in marking a ballot.

Sec. 8. That all officers upon whom is imposed by law the duty of providing polling places shall provide at each polling place a sufficient number of booths which shall be provided with convenient shelves, pens, pen-holders, ink, blotters and indellible pencils to enable the voters to prepare the ballots for voting and in which all voters may prepare their ballots, screened from observation and such booths shall be placed as nearly as possible in the centre of either a square space enclosed by rope or guard rails not less than 30 feet square or in some building or a circular space so enclosed not less than 30 feet in diameter but with only one opening for entrance therein and one for exit therefrom. The booths shall be within plain view of the election officers and both they and the ballot box shall be within plain view of those who are outside the rope, guard rail, or door or window of the building, if the booth be in a building. Each of the said booths shall be made of wood or heavy canvas and shall have three sides enclosed, one side in front to be enclosed by a curtain of some opaque cloth. Each side of each booth shall be seven feet in height and the curtain shall extend within two feet of the floor or bottom which shall be closed while the voter is preparing his ballot. Each booth shall measure at least 32 inches square and shall contain a shelf at least one foot wide conveniently placed for writing. No person other than election officers and challengers allowed by law shall be permitted within the ropes or guard rail except by the authority of election officers who shall keep order and enforce the law. The number of such booths placed at each precinct shall rest in the discretion of the county board of elections. The expenses of providing the booths and guard rails and all other things provided for in this act shall be paid in the same manner as is provided for other election expenses.

Sec. 9. That any person who violates any provision of this act other than section 8 shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined upon conviction thereof, not less than $100 nor more than $1,000 or imprisoned in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 10. That each elector shall be given, upon surrendering to the pollholder the first ballot given him, another ballot and upon likewise surrendering to the poll holder such second ballot such voter may obtain a third ballot but no more. Such returned ballot shall be marked "spoiled" and signed by two pollholders. All spoiled ballots shall be paced in an envelope or envelopes and the number of such ballots placed on the outside thereof.

Sec. 11. That in the event that any person nominated as in this act pro-

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THE BAPTIST CONVENTION

North Carolinians at Great Gathering in Baltimore—Jacksonville Next Year—Some of the Important Work of Body.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Baltimore, Md., May 15.—The session of the Southern Baptist Convention now in progress in Baltimore, is one of the best ever held by that body. The place of meeting, the Lyric Theatre, is admirably suited to the assembling of the convention, and has been beautifully decorated and arranged by the entertainment committee. The messengers and visitors present are numbering in the neighborhood of 8,000. Joshua Levering, of Baltimore, was re-elected president of this great body.

Up to Saturday evening many of the reports have been discussed, among them the work of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. This report shows an increasing efficiency in the work of the seminary. The denomination has contributed $488,000 during the year.

The report on foreign missions showed an expenditure of $501,058.84, and it was decided to spend at least $600,000 this year.

The Home Mission Board spent $329,475 last year and raised the amount to $400,000 for the present conventional year. The total amount spent by the convention on its various benevolent objects was $1,554,000.

Jacksonville, Fla., will be the place of the next convention.

North Carolina is represented by a large number of messengers and visitors and Wilmington is not without her proportion of this representation. The Wilmingtonians in attendance are: Laymen, W. C. Peterson and Mr. Hanby; Pastors G. A. Martin and C. F. Whitlock, and in attendance upon the W. M. U. from Wilmington are Mrs. G. A. Martin, Mrs. C. F. Whitlock, Mrs. Hanby, Miss Julia Yopp and Miss Keene, from near Wilmington are Rev. W. B. Rivenbark, of Teachey's, Rev. J. A. Bryson, of Funston; Rev. J. B. Newton, and others.

The convention was moved to tears by a great speech, in many respects the greatest of the convention, delivered by Rev. Dr. Jno. Shakespeare, of London, at the close of which $4,000 was raised in a few minutes to aid the Baptists of Europe in preparing their native ministers for a more effective work, especially in Russia.

The entire day on Friday was given to Home Missions and was closed with a powerful and stirring speech by Dr. B. D. Gray, of Atlanta. The entire day on Saturday is given to foreign missions, conducted by Dr. R. J. Willingham, of Richmond, who is secretary of the foreign mission board. This was a great day of the convention and one of the great things in it was the introduction of a number of the foreign missionaries of the convention, who are at home on a furlough and who made stirring speeches on the conditions and needs of the fields which they represented. At the close of these addresses Dr. Willingham called for men who were willing to send out one new missionary and pay his expenses for the first year, all of which would cost about $1,000, and there were fifteen responses with one man who agreed to pay the expenses of ten missionaries on certain conditions, which will be met.

COLORED A. & M. COLLEGE.

Eleventh Annual Commencement Exercises Begin Next Week.

The eleventh annual commencement of the North Carolina Agricultural and Mechanical College for the Colored Race, Greensboro, N. C., will be held May 22nd to 26th, inclusive. Next Sunday at 11 A. M. the baccalaureate sermon will be preashed by Rt. Rev. L. J. Coppin, D. D., LL. D., presiding Bishop of North Carolina A. M. E. Conference; Monday, May 23, 8 P. M., anniversary Agricultural Society, annual address by Prof. A. L. Mebane, B. Agr., of Frankfort, Ky.; Tuesday, 8 P. M., anniversary Mechanical Society, annual address by Prof. John H. Greene, B. S., principal Williston Graded School, Wilmington, N. C.; Wednesday, 8 P. M., Industrial programme. Thursday, 2 P. M., commencement address by Mr. Clarence H. Poe, editor Progressive Farmer, Raleigh, N. C.; and at 8 P. M., the annual alumni anniversary and banquet.

HOMICIDE IN ANSON.

Railroad Section Hand Shot by Special Officer at Lilesville.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wadesboro, N. C., May 14.—At an early hour last night Ben Tyson, of Lilesville, shot and killed John Rhoulack, a young colored man, employed by section mastercmfwypqITsy vbgk by a section master working on the Seaboard Air Line near the town. The negro had attempted to assault one of the white men connected with the gang and a warrant was issued for his arrest. Young Tyson, who is only 20 years of age, was deputized to serve the paper. When he started to enter the car the negro drew a pistol and fired point blank at the officer. Tyson returned the fire, shooting the negro in the stomach. The negro then fired another shot at Tyson, missing him again whereupon the young man fired again hitting the negro in the head and killing him instantly. Tyson is a young man of good character and plenty of nerve. He has served on the police force of Lilesville at different times. The negro he killed, was a desperate character. Tyson gave himself up to the officers.

$25.00 lady's hat given away as a free premium at Gaylord's today. **

THE AUSTRALIAN BALLOT IN TOMORROW'S PRIMARY

Below is given a fac-simile of the form of the Australian ballot which will be used for the first time in New Hanover in the Democratic primaries to be held in the various wards and precincts tomorrow. The form given is that which will be used in the Fifth ward, this being taken as an example and is similar to that in use in the other wards with the exception of the names of the Executive Committeemen, which of course are different in the various wards.

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS.

TO VOTE FOR AN INDIVIDUAL CANDIDATE, MAKE A CROSS (X) MARK IN A SPACE BEFORE THE NAME OF SUCH CANDIDATE; TO VOTE FOR A PERSON NOT ON THE TICKET, WRITE THE NAME OF SUCH PERSON UNDER THE TITLE OF THE OFFICE IN THE RIGHT-HAND COLUMN AND MAKE A CROSS (X) MARK IN THE SPACE IMMEDIATELY BEFORE THE NAME. ANY MARK OR ERASURE MADE ON THE BALLOT, EXCEPT AS ABOVE INDICATED, WILL MAKE THIS BALLOT VOID, AND IT CANNOT BE COUNTED. USE ONLY THE PENS, INK AND INDELIBLE PENCILS PROVIDED IN THE BOOTHS.

OFFICIAL BALLOT

FIFTH WARD.

New Hanover County Primary Election, May 18th, 1910.

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

Designate Candidate voted for, Thus X Opposite name in square.

	For Senator for 11th Senatorial District: GEO. H. BELLAMY.	THE VOTER MAY WRITE IN COLUMN BELOW, UNDER THE TITLE OF ANY OFFICE, THE NAME OF ANY PERSON WHOSE NAME IS NOT ON THIS BALLOT AND FOR WHOM HE WISHES TO VOTE.
	FRED W. BONITZ.	
	For House of Representatives: WOODUS KELLUM.	
	JOSEPH W. LITTLE.	
	BROOKE G. EMPIE.	
	For Recorder: JNO. J. FURLONG.	
	A. M. WADDELL.	
	For Sheriff: S. P. COWAN.	
	For Clerk Superior Court: JOHN D. TAYLOR.	
	For County Treasurer: HECTOR McL. GREEN.	
	For Register of Deeds: JOHN HAAR.	
	JOHN A. EVERETT, Jr.	
	HENRY HORNE.	
	For Coroner: C. D. BELL.	
	For County Commissioners: J. T. KERR (Four Years.)	
	J. VanB. METTS (Four Years)	
	M. W. DIVINE (Two Years)	
	H. L. VOLLERS (Two Years)	
	D. McEACHERN (Two Years)	
	J. P. HERRING (Two Years)	
	For Constable Wilmington Township: W. B. SAVAGE.	
	For Magistrates, Wilmington Township: W. H. McD. EVANS.	
	G. W. BORNEMAN.	
	W. F. JONES.	
	JNO. W. SMITH.	
	W. L. BURKHEIMER.	
	For Executive Committee, Fifth Ward: R. C. DeROSSETT.	
	W. A. McGOWAN.	
	C. C. PARKER.	
	J. H. BURRISS.	
	JNO. W. GAFFORD.	
	W. M. CREASY.	
	GEO. H. JAMES.	
	R. A. BURNETT.	

	For Senator for 11th Senatorial District:
	For House of Representatives:
	For Recorder:
	For Sheriff:
	For Clerk Superior Court:
	For County Treasurer:
	For Register of Deeds:
	For Coroner:
	For County Commissioners:
	For Constable Wilmington Township:
	For Magistrates, Wilmington Township;
	For Executive Committee, Fifth Ward:

CONGRESS TO ACT PROMPLY

Rival Claims of New Orleans and San Francisco to be Heard—Completion of Panama Canal Near. The Finish.

New Orleans, May 16.—Congress will on May 26th sit in judgment on the rival claims to Federal recognition of New Orleans and San Francisco in the matter of the Panama Canal celebration in 1915. The early completion of the canal necessitates an early decision. Some weeks ago a strong delegation from Louisiana went to Washington and secured from President Taft and leaders in Congress what they interpreted as a practical endorsement of the New Orleans plan and on the strength of that an initial working fund of more than $1,000,000 has been raised and arrangements made to raise another $4,000,000 through a direct tax.

Meanwhile, San Francisco has raised $5,000,000 and a big delegation is now on the ground in Washington urging the adoption by Congress of a resolution declaring San Francisco the Panama Exposition city. At the request of the Louisiana Congressmen action has been postponed until New Orleans can be given a chance to be heard.

A New Orleans delegation, headed by Governor Sanders and Mayor Behrman, and fortified with the endorsement and monetary aid of every tax payer in Louisiana and the endorsement of the Mississippui Valley, of many States and organizations east of the Rocky Mountains and of some of the Central American Republics, will lay before the Congressional Committees a map showing in a striking way the relative positions of the two cities.

This map indicates that by the census of 1900 there are 17,000,000 people within 500 miles of New Orleans, and only 2,000,000 within that distance of San Francisco; 65,000,000 within 1,000 miles of New Orleans, and only 6,000,000 within that distance of San Francisco, and that within a radius of 1,500 miles there are 90,000,000 in the New Orleans territory and only 17,000,000 in the San Francisco territory.

The map also shows that all the people of the Mississippi Valley, the northern and eastern States, central and eastern Canada, the West Indies, Mexico, Central and South America and Europe can reach New Orleans in much less time, at much less expense and with much less inconvenience than they can reach San Francisco.

The delegation will in addition present many other facts and figures, which they claim cannot be offset by the rival city.

"We do not believe San Francisco can make out so strong a case as we can," said Chairman T. P. Thompson, of the World's Panama Exposition Executive Committee, the official in charge. "Our movement is a popular one in every sense of the word. Every citizen of Louisiana will contribute his mite to make the millions we will invest in the enterprise. Our nearness to the Panama Canal means that New Orleans will become the port of entry and departure for United States mails to Central and South America because we are the logical point. If we are the Northern continent's logical point of contact with the Southern continent we are in truth the hub of the Western Hemisphere, therefore the logical site for the exposition. New Orleans can be reached more easily—and in less time by the commerce and people of a greater area than any other seaport in the world, and we anticipate no difficulty in convincing Congress of this fact. However, we expect all of the cities and towns and States east of the Rocky Mountains, which will be directly benefitted by the canal and the exposition at New Orleans in celebration of its completion, to help us with their influence when he present our claims—and theirs—to the Congressional Committee on May 26th."

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS.

Attorney General Wickersham and Griscom Were the Speakers.

New York, May 2.—"We are about to lose from political life the greatest asset of the Republican party", said Lloyd C. Griscom, president of the New York Republican County Committee, speaking tonight at the dinner given him by the Republican Committee of the 29th Assembly district, of Governor Hughes. "It is difficult to over-estimate his loss, but the greater the loss the greater of responsibility of the organization to carry the party burden" he added.

Attorney General Wickersham defended the National administration which, in succeeding to an era of an attack on special privileges, "is not running amuck" he said, "among the legitimate business interests."

Attorney General Wickersham declared that he is satisfied with his position as a cabinet officer in spite of the fact that "whatever one does in public employment is the subject of criticism" and that his office "entails laborious days and involves the exercise of great responsibilities."

Upholding the policies of the Republican party and urging co-operation among members of the organization in helping to carry out the pledges of the party, Mr. Wickersham accused the "insurgents", without mentioning them by that title, of "impeding at this time the work of the National administration by the lessening of party cohesion and party discipline."

What Everybody Wants.

Everybody desires good health which is impossible unless the kidneys are sound and healthy. Foley's Kidney Remedy should be taken at the first indication of any irregularity, and a serious illness may be averted. Robt. R. Bellamy.

THE STATE IN EPITOME

News, Comment and Incidents as Reflected in North Carolina.

FIRE AT MT. OLIVE.

Residence Destroyed—Damage to Crops—Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mount Olive, N. C., May 16.—This afternoon about 1 o'clock, while the family was at dinner, the roof of the dwelling on the corner of Center and John streets, owned by Mrs. L. F. Oates and occupied by Mr. John R. Bell and family, and Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Mauley, was discovered to be on fire, caused by sparks from the kitchen chimney, or a defective flue, and before the fire engine could be gotten to the scene the fire had made such headway that it was impossible to save the building, and in less than an hour it was burned to the ground. It was an old wood frame building. It is understood that there was very little or no insurance on the building, but the furniture and furnishings owned by Messrs. J. R. Bell and F. F. Mauley was party covered. The destruction of this house will fall as a distinct loss to Mrs. Oates, whose income is limited, and she is now left without a home. Mrs. Oates before her marriage was a Miss Houston, of Duplin county, where she has some relatives now living.

Mr. Wm. M. Maxwell, formerly of this city, but now of Greensboro, N. C., spent several days last week with relatives in Mount Olive, where he was very cordially greeted by his large number of friends.

Revs. E. E. Rose and R. F. Taylor, of the Methodist churches here, spent last week in Asheville attending the Conference of the Methodist church in session there.

Rev. Peter McIntyre, pastor of the Presbyterian church here, will leave this week to attend the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, which convenes this year at Lewisburg, W. Va., as a delegate from this State.

It is learned that the storm which swept over this sectioin last Thursday with such terrific force, doing great damage to crops, and which has been followed by such cool weather, will probably destroy a large per cent. of the cotton crop.

Strawberry shipments from this point have greatly fallen off during the last few days and only a few hundred more crates will be shipped from here this season.

WANTED IN PENNSYLVANIA.

Negro Arrested in Rocky Mount Charged With Murder at Chester.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., May 16.—After having been "kept in soak" by the police of the city, who were in frequent touch with the Chester, Pa., authorities, Charlie Gibson, a peg-legged negro was on Saturday night arrested by Chief of Police J. S. Davis, and will have to go back to the Pennsylvania city to answer the charge of murder. The negro was in the employ of the railroad company while he was being searched for by the Pennsylvania officers and it was about the time that he was located that he was hurt while in the discharge of his duties as a flagman and he was taken to the Relief Hospital at South Rocky Mount and there it was found necessary to amputate his leg. He has been in the hospital under treatment for his injury and it was this time that the police termed as 'being in soak". He was discharged from the hospital on Saturday night and in less than ten minutes after he left the building the police were enroute to the city lockup with their man.

The negro denies that he is the person wanted and even waives any claim of having ever lived in Chester, Pa. However, the police are pretty certain from the photographs, descriptions and the facts of his whereabouts that he is the person wanted. Outside of the fact that the negro is wanted on the charge of murder none of the facts in the case are known to the police. The Chester, Pa., authorities were notified immediately upon his arrest and it is expected that they will have an officer come for the man within the next day or two.

WAKE SCHOOL FARMS.

Twenty-One Districts to Have Agricultural Education.

(Raleigh News and Observer.)

Twenty-one schools in Wake county report that they will conduct school farms this year, and this shows how the idea has grown, while it is expected others will report later that they are in the work. Nearly all the farms have been planted and in many cases the fertilizers have been donated while in some cases the neighbors have come together and put the land in condition for the making of the crops.

Republicans Endorse Cowles.

(Special to News and Observer.)

Lenoir, May 15.—The Republicans of Caldwell county met here yesterday in convention at the court house at 1 o'clock. The matter was one of harmony and enthusiasm throughout. Short addresses were made by the following gentlemen: Messrs. Harshaw, Whisnant, Sherrill, Blackmore, Corpening and S. M. McCall.

Delegates to the State Congressional, judicial, and senatorial conventions were elected. The delegation to the congressional convention were instructed to vote for Cowles, first, last, and all the time; the delegates to the judicial convention were instructed to do the same for F. A. Linney, for solicitor. The delegates to the State and senatorial conventions were uninstructed.

An Ideal Husband

is patient, even with a nagging wife, for he knows she needs help. She may be so nervous and run-down in health that trifles annoy her. If she is melancholy, excitable, troubled with loss of appetite, headache, sleeplessness, constipation or fainting and dizzy spells, she needs Electric Bitters—the most wonderful remedy for ailing women. Thousands of sufferers from female troubles, nervous troubles, backache and weak kidneys have used them and become healthy and happy. Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

A. & M. AFFAIRS.

The Season in Athletics—Other Campus News and Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 16.—In the first of the series of baseball games for the class championship, played on the new athletic field Thursday, the Sophomores were defeated by the Juniors in an exciting game 5 to 3. The Junior-Freshman game will be played Monday.

Dr. Albert Anderson, of Raleigh, made a brief address to the student body in Chapel Saturday morning on the prevention and cure of tuberculosis.

The May dance of the Thalarian German Club was given in Pullen Hall Saturday night and was largely attended, St. J. L. Springs, the club leader, leading the figures.

A. & M. was represented in the Marathon road run in Durham Saturday by Bobington, of the Senior Class, who won fifth place, first place being won by a Durham Y. M. C. A. man.

At the annual Spring meeting of the Athletic Association held Saturday afternoon in Pullen Hall, the following men were elected for the first term of the 1910-11 session: President, J. M. Sherman; vice president, J. M. Beall; secretary and treasurer, E. V. Fillmon.

Manager and assistant managers of the baseball and track teams were elected as follows: Manager baseball team, O. M. Sigmon, of Hickory, N. C.; first assistant manager, C. M. Taylor, of Tarboro; second assistant manager, N. B. Stevens, of Goldsboro; manager of the track team, D. R. Hinkle, of Lexington; assistant manager T. R. Baldwin, Jr., of Mt. Gilead, N. C.

The 1910 issue of the Agromeck, the annual publication of the Senior class, was received from the publishers the past week and the board of editors are being warmly congratulated on their great success. This issue surpasses anything ever gotten up before by any Senior class and will take high rank along with the annuals of the leading colleges in the country. The annual is beautifully bound in yellowish brown leather with the college monogram. Agremeck and '10 stamped in letters of gold on the cover, in the shape of a small, filled-out circle. There are over 275 pages of data and pictures of the various athletic teams, clubs, classes, etc., and several good stories that appeal to college men. This issue is dedicated to William Alphonso Withers, head of the Department of Chemistry, and a warm friend of the students. J. F. Robinson is editor-in-chief and copies of the annual may be secured from him at $2.50 apiece.

AFFAIRS AT RALEIGH.

Requisition on Governor of New Jersey—Condition of Crops.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 16.—A requisition was issued today by Governor Kitchin on the Governor of New Jersey for John Featherstone, now in Jersey City jail, and wanted in this State to complete a seven year sentence in the penitentiary for robbery in Rowan county. He escaped in 1896 after having served only a little over three months of his sentence. G. C. Hayes of the prison force has gone to New Jersey for the prisoner.

The Department of Education has just received notice of the holding of successful elections for local taxation for the improvement of schools in Swan Quarter, Hyde county, Everetts, Martin county. The town of Parmele has voted down a proposition for local tax.

The Department of Agriculture estimates that the corn acreage in this State this year will be 3,200,000 as compared with 2,894,000 last year. The corn yield last year was estimated to be 48,686,000 bushels. The oat crop this year is estimated at 300,000 acres with a 90 per cent. condition as compared with last year when the acreage was 196,000, and the yield something like 3,223,000 bushels. The department estimates give the fruit crop condition for North Carolina at 110 per cent. as compared with last year. The vegetable conditions are figured as something like 80 per cent. in condition. The Boys' Corn Club interest that has spread throughout the State is very greatly quickening interest in this staple crop which is already of at least equal importance with North Carolina farmers with "King Cotton".

The Stanley Creamery Co., of Stanley, Gaston county, was chartered today with $50,000 capital subscribed with authority to maintain dairies, manufacture ice and do a cold storage business. Vincent Morriss and J. L. Morriss being among the numerous stockholders.

Another charter is to the Richland Lumber Co., Waynesville, capital $50,000 by J. H. Roper, L. E. Spahr and others.

DEATH KNELL TO BEER.

Some Charlotte Aldermen Think Club Regulation Means no Beer.

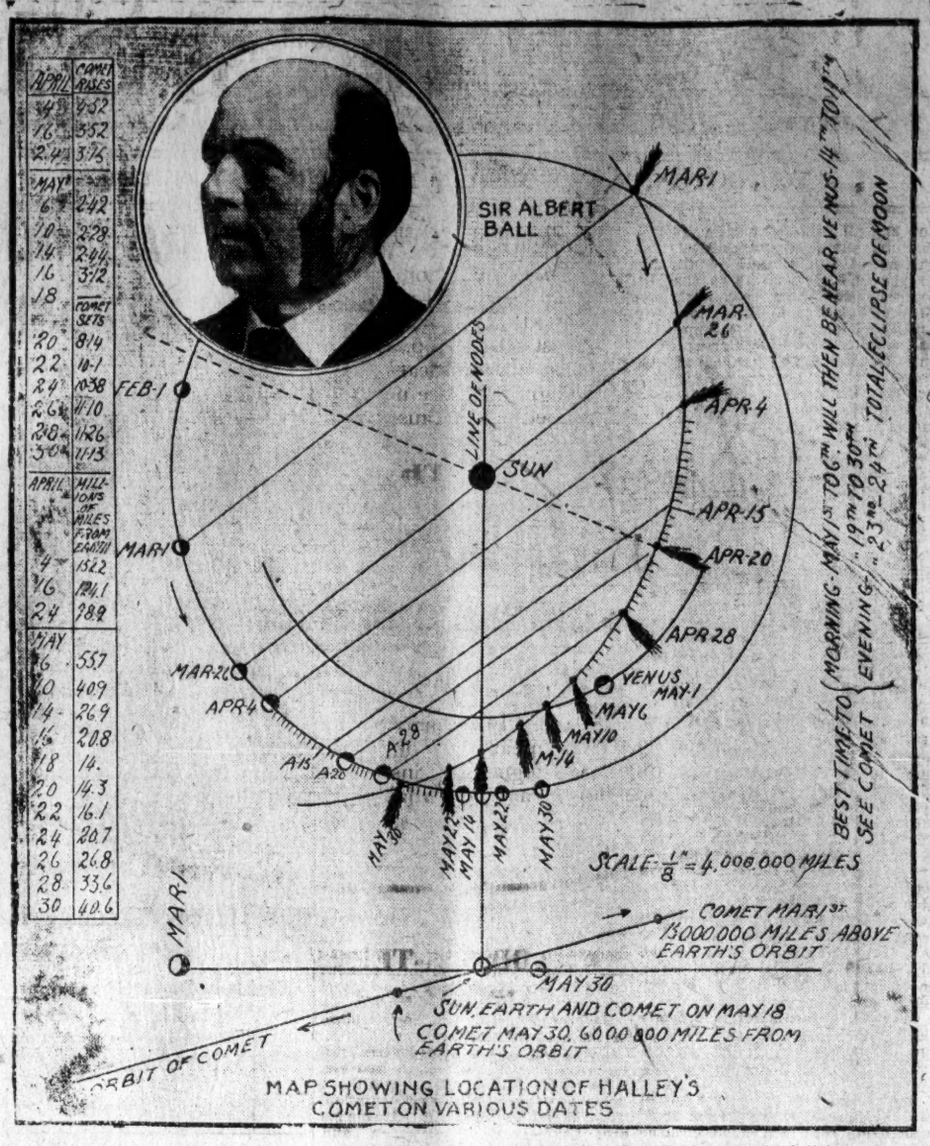
(Charlotte Observer.)

That the enactment of the proposed ordinance forbidding social clubs to keep the liquors of different members together means the passing of beer as a beverage and the substitution of more harmful drinks is the opinion of a number of the members of the board of aldermen. The measure will come up for consideration on its last reading at the meeting tomorrow night.

The contention of those who oppose the measure is that it is impossible for the members to keep their beer separately, unless each had a refrigerator to himself, which is of course impracticable. "We'll have to put in a cold storage plant, I guess," said one member. Some of the places keep beer for their members but no strictly intoxicating drinks and it is believed that if the keeping of beer is made impossible the other drinks will be substituted.

Malaria Makes Pale Sickly Children. The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children. 50c.

THE PATH OF HALLEY'S COMET



New York, May 14.—From Sir Robert Ball, our foremost astronomer, comes the last and final dictum concerning Halley's comet. It should set at rest the fears of a grand catastrophe in the minds of those folks who have been led to believe the comet contains mischief making potentialities. Sir Robert is the royal astronomer of England and the author of several books, including "The Story of the Heavens," in which he deals with Halley's comet: "I have received multitudes of letters relating to the comet, and so many have expressed alarm as to the possibility of collision that I venture to send a reply: My dears, a rhinoceros in full charge would not fear collision with a cobweb, and the earth need not fear a collision with a comet. In 1861 we passed through the tail of a comet. No one knew anything about it at the time. For a hundred million years life has been continuous on this earth, though we have been visited by at least five comets each year. If comets could ever have done the earth any harm they would have done it long ago, and you and I would not be discussing comets or anything else. As far as I can learn, we were in the tail of Halley's comet May 12th. I sincerely hope we were, and I think Sir John Herschel says somewhere that a whole comet could be squeezed into a suit case.

ROBERT S. BALL, Observatory of Cambridge.

CAUSE OF HIGH PRICES.

Extravagance and Waste, Not Tariff Reasons of Commission.

Boston, Mass., May 3.—A marked increase in the world's gold supply and extravagance and waste, public and private, are the principal reasons given for the high cost of living by a special State commission which has been investigating the subject for eight weeks. In the report of the investigation issued today the commission gives the increased gold supply as a contributory factor to the "enormous waste of income in the United States, through uneconomic expenditures for war and National armament, and multiple forms of extravagance both public and private."

Although agreeing that the tariff is not a contributory factor, the commission is of the opinion that when the tariff is further revised, the expediency of removing the duties on food products should be carefully considered.

In regard to trusts the commission also feels that while they cannot be held responsible for the present conditions constant vigilance with reference to the action of combinations dealing with the necessities of life is doubly incumbent.

The Charlotte Observer commenting on the publication of a diary kept by James K. Polk and some derogatory remarks of William E. Curtis on the character therein displayed says that "History, while perforce recognizing the great things accomplished under his administration, has not been kind to President Polk."

The reason for this is not, it seems to us, far to seek. Polk was by no means lacking in natural parts or in the equipment that culture gives. He graduated with first honors at the University of North Carolina after a three years course, was soon aftercalled to the bar in Tennessee and speedily took high rank on a circuit which abounded in brilliant lawyers. Entering the State Legislature in 1835 he was Speaker of the House of Representatives and four years later became Governor of the State. The next step in his promotion was to the Presidency. During his administration the Oregon boundary was fixed and the Mexican war was brought to a conclusion which added the Southwest and Pacific coast to the National territory. But all the issues thus settled were formulated before his accession to office and he was regarded rather as the instrument through which Jackson's policies were executed than as a creative statesman. He stood in the shadow cast by old Hickory's name and influence much as Taft has been belittled as the creature and imitator of Roosevelt.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

GREATEST THING IN THE WORLD

Mrs. Mary Neely, of Denver, Tells an Interesting Story of Her Experience With Cardui.

Denver, Tenn.—"I think there is no tonic on earth, as good as Cardui", writes Mrs. Mary Neely, of Denver, Tenn. "I have used it with the very best results. I had backache, and nearly everything a woman could suffer with, until I took Cardui, but now I feel better than I have since two years ago, so I shall always recommend it to other suffering women."

Happy is the girl or woman who has never suffered from any of the diseases of womanhood. Or, if she has been a sufferer, happy is she if she has learned of the wonderful curative powers of Cardui.

Cardui is a gentle tonic, that can do you nothing but good. It is prepared from herbs, with a specific, curative effect, on special organs. It is therefore a natural medicine—a medicine you can feel confidence in—a safe, harmless, vegetable medicine, of long known merit.

Thousands of letters which we have received prove that many ladies consider it the greatest woman's remedy in the world.

Your druggist sells it. Get a bottle from him today.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

DRAMATIC SUCCESS.

Bryn Mawr, Pa., May 16.—The students of Bryn Mawr made such an impression n the "A Midsummer Night's Dream" that they have been requested to duplicate the performance. Miss Helen Taft, daughter of President Taft, as Theseus was one of the hits of the play, according to her friends.

FOREST FIRE IN BLADEN.

Large Tract of Timber Badly Damaged in Bethel Township.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Elizabethtown, N. C., May 16.—Forest fire burning since yesterday in Bethel township did considerable damage to a large tract of timber of Mr. A. W. McLean, of Lumberton. At 4 o'clock this afternoon a large force of men had it under control after it had burned over about 300 acres of fine timber. Hard fighting saved several homes which were in great danger several times. This timber was recently purchased from Mr. C. W. Lyon. The origin of the fire is unknown; some suggest lightning started it.

HOMICIDE IN WAKE.

Negro Cut to Death by White Man Sunday Night.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 16.—Late last night near Garner, this county, Pearl Jones, colored, was cut to death by Hubert Bryant, a well known young white man. Quite a party of men returning to Garner from a big fish fry became involved in a quarrel, Jones trying to pull Bryant out of his buggy when Bryant drew his knife and dealt the fatal cut in the abdomen. Bryant has disappeared, awaiitng, it is believed, word of his friends to work out the case so the defense can avoid jail. Bryant is a brother of Henry Bryant, a well known merchant and farmer of Garner, Hubert being manager of the store for his brother.

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THE CAT AND THE LABY.

A Medical Opinion as to the Tradition of a Feline Danger.

Several physicians have investigated the ancient story that cats suck the breath of babies, and Dr. J. Rice Gibbs declares that the theory is ridiculous. Cats occasionally kill children, he declares, but they do it in a different fashion.

"It has been stated that a cat's nostrils are so formed as to make a perfect juncture with the nose of a baby," said Dr. Gibbs, "and that a little pressure would push them upward and make them a perfect fit. Then the cat's chin would rest over and below the baby's mouth, preventing it from opening to relieve the strangulation while the cat sucked its breath. That is all rot. The manner in which little children are killed by cats is this: A cat looking for a warm place to curl up and sleep lies down upon the chest of a little child, and, being quite heavy—many cats are as heavy as little babies—simply crushes the breath out of the child's lungs, and strangulation takes place, but not through sucking of the child's breath.

"The idea that only black cats kill little babies is equally ridiculous. It is simply because black cats are considered unlucky. In former times the black cat was considered the very genius of witchcraft. In those days when a baby died the blame was often fixed upon some hag who, the judges said, had sent a black cat to suck the baby's breath. And often hag and cat suffered death at the stake.

"Evil omen is still the cry in many parts of the world whenever a black cat approaches a cradle. Many persons are so superstitious that the appearance of a black cat in a sick room is considered equivalent to an announcement of approaching death. What could be more absurd?

"Mothers need not be afraid of cats, black, white or green, sucking their babies' breath and murdering them. It is time that this popular fallacy should be exploded." — New York World.

THE BASEBALL UMPIRE.

Very Different From the Fight Referee or the Race Judge.

Good umpires are rare. In the whole country there are not more than ten first rate ones. The combination of the keen eye, nimble brain and cold nerve is not a common one.

The umpire is the chain lightning of baseball. His decisions are rendered in the fifth part of a second. He renders them knowing that he must stand by them afterward, no matter what happens. Every man inside the fence, whether blinded by prejudice or loyalty to the home team, sees the same things and therefore feels that he has a right to his own opinion, but the umpire is the one man who is paid to know what he sees.

The prizefight referee sometimes has to decide which boxer won a hard battle. He has had time in which to review the situation. The whole moving picture of the fight stretches backward in his memory. Should the choice prove a difficult one there is always the comfortable middle ground—the draw decision, in which neither man wins or loses. The baseball umpire can render no draw decisions. The man is safe or he is out.

When two race horses come nodding down to the wire and two noses flash by the post so close together that a finger breadth means thousands of dollars to the backers, the race track judge may fall back on the dead heat. The baseball umpire has no dead heats. Watching foot and ball, he must know which one was first. He can confer with no one. Right or wrong, the judgment must be made in the twinkling of an eye.—C. E. Van Loan in Munsey's Magazine.

The Piano Virtuoso's Hands.

Contrary to popular belief, the piano virtuoso as a rule has extremely unattractive hands. "The artistic hand" is a phrase peculiar to the hysterical young woman who haunts musical recitals, but in reality the hand of the pianist is not at all artistic or beautiful when judged by the usual standards of the artist, the painter or the sculptor.

Constant, vigorous practicing overdevelops the hand and makes it actually ill shaped. The fingers do not taper, but are blunt and round, ending often in what appears to be a cushion of hard flesh.—New York World.

Aggravating.

When the late General Edward M. McCook lived in Pike's Peak he once presided at a dinner in honor of a famous Indian fighter.

Mr. McCook, as he then was, concluded his introduction of the Indian fighter with the words:

"I can find but one fault with the colonel's methods. I allude to his well known custom of enlisting in his regiment only baldheaded men. To aggravate the Indians' feelings so cruelly as that is carrying war too far."

Cheerful.

A certain philosopher used to thank God when he had the gout that it was not the toothache, and when he had the toothache he gave thanks because he had not both complaints at once.

Error of the Types.

The editor wrote that the speaker's address was "notable," but the printer spaced it wrong and it read "not able."—Kansas City Star.

Cool.

Diner (disgustedly)—See here! Everything on this table is stone cold. Waiter—Try the pepper and tabasco, sir.—Boston Transcript.

Malaria Causes Loss of Appetite.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

EARTHQUAKE SCENES.

San Jose, Costa Rica, May 16.—It will be many days before the total number of people who lost their lives in the earthquake which devastated Cartago will be known. The first reports stated but a few scores had been killed, but this number was increased to 400, then 600, and now estimates have been made which place the killed at 1,800 and the injured at several thousand. The American Red Cross is aiding the stricken natives.

MAY DESERT STAGE.

London, May 16.—Adeline Genee, the greatest dancer that ever visited America, is going to desert the stage for married life. June 11th the wonderful Danish dancer will be married to Frank N. S. Isitt. Royalty will be present at the wedding, and the Duke and Duchess of Newcastle will give a reception in her honor. Adeline Genee during her three visits to the United States danced her way into the hearts of thousands.

J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG CO'S. NEW DEPARTURE.

After two months of remarkable sales, J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., the enterprising druggists, say that their plan of selling at half price the regular 50 cent size of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, and guaranteeing to refund the money if it does not cure, has been the greatest success they have ever known.

They have sold hundreds of bottles of the specific; and as yet have not had one returned, although they stand ready at any time to refund the money should any customer be dissatisfied.

Anyone suffering with dyspepsia, constipation, liver troubles, headaches, dizziness, coated tongue, or the general tired feeling caused by inactive liver and bowels or disordered digestion, should take advantage of J. Hicks Bunting's new departure.

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NOTICE.

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Remember that you can only vote for one person for Recorder; that you can vote for only one for House of Representatives; that you can vote for only one for Senator; that there are only five on the Board of County Commissioners and that you can only vote for this number of commissioners; that you can vote for only one for membership on the county executive committee from your ward or precinct. To make your ballot count, you must be careful that you make your cross mark only opposite for the person for whom you vote, for if you make any erasure or correction to the ballot, you make the same void and it will not be counted; that only two minutes are allowed each voter to cast his ballot; that you can only ruin two ballots and if the third is ruined, you lose your vote; that the above instructions must be carefully followed for if you should vote for more candidates for an office than the law allows, you will void your ballot and it will not be counted.

W. A. FRENCH,
Chairman, County Board of Elections. ma 16-1t.

NOTICE.

A meeting of all pollholders and registrars will be held in the Court Room at 3 o'clock this afternoon for final instructions as to the methods of voting and such other points relative to the primary election to be held under the Australian ballot. Tickets and voting booths will be given out at this meeting.

W. A. FRENCH,
Chairman, County Board of Elections. ma 16-1t.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, DEPARTMENT OF STATE.
CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.

To All To Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

WHEREAS, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at No. ..... street, in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina (Edgar D. Williams, being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution;

NOW THEREFORE, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 25th day of April, 1910, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all of the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Raleigh, this 25th day of April, A. D., 1910.

J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

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JOHN D. TAYLOR, C. S. C.
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STATEMENT
ATLANTIC COAST LINE RELIEF DEPARTMENT.
Wilmington, N. C.

Condition December 31, 1909, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year	$ 42,901 74
Income—From Policy-holders, $185,722.64; Miscellaneous, $46,321.14; Total	232,043 78
Disbursements—To Policy-holders, $192,107.13; Miscellaneous, $44,424.27; Total	236,531 40
Benefit Certificates in force December 31, 1908, Number 11,616; Amount	Not given
Benefit Certificates in force December 31, 1909 Number 11,881 Amount	Not given
Claims unpaid December 31, 1908 Number 25; Amount	14,000 00
Claims incurred during the year —Number 131; Amount	75,000 00
Claims paid during the year—Number 119; Amount	68,000 00
Claims unpaid December 31, 1909 —Number 21; Amount	14,750 00

ASSETS.

Cash in Association's office	$ 38,414 12

LIABILITIES—None.

Business in North Carolina During 1909.

Benefit Certificate in force December 31, 190.., Number Not given.

G. G. Thomas, Superintendent; N. N. Davis, Assistant Superintendent.

Home Office Front St., Wilmington, N. C.

Attorney for service Home Office.

Business Manager or Organizer for North Carolina, Head Office.

State of North Carolina,
Insurance Department,
Raleigh, N. C.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the A. C. L. Relief Department, a Fraternal Order, of Wilmington, N. C., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Order on the 31st day of December, 1909.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
ma 14 2t Insurance Commissioner.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, WILMINGTON, N. C., May 14, 1910. Sealed proposals for 12,000 tons, more or less, of rip rap stone, will be received at this office until noon, June 14, 1910, and then publicly opened. Information on application. Earl I. Brown, Captain, Engineers.
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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
NEW HANOVER COUNTY,
Superior Court.

Hattie M. Mahn and Flora M. Kendall,
vs.
H. M. Bowden.

Publication of Summons and Attachment.

This is an action brought by the plaintiffs against the defendant for the recovery of Fifteen hundred and Thirty Seven Dollars and Thirty Cents ($1537.30) with interest from the 15th of September, 1904, being balance due on the note made by the defendant to M. M. Mahn, guardian of the plaintiffs, for the sum of $1,300.00 for borrowed money dated July 1st, 1891; that an attachment has been issued returnable July 25th 1910 against the defendant and levied upon a one half undivided interest of the defendant in and to a certain tract of land situate on Point Peter, in the County of New Hanover, and being the same tract conveyed by W. F. Potter and wife of J. O. Bowden by deed duly registered in Book K. K. K. page 520, et seq. of the records of New Hanover County and it appearing to the Court that the defendant is a non resident of this State and has property in this State, and cannot after due diligence be found in the State, and that a cause of action exists in plaintiffs' favor against the defendant for the recovery of the said sum of $1,537.30, with interest from the 15th of September, 1904, being the balance due on the said note of $1,300.00.

NOW, notice is hereby given, that the defendant be and appear before the Superior Court of this County to be held on the 25th day of July, 1910, and answer or demur to the complaint this day filed or judgment will be granted according to the prayer thereof.

This 9th day of May, 1910.

JOHN D. TAYLOR,
Clerk Superior Court of New Hanover County.
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STATEMENT
THE COLUMBIA NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
Boston, Mass.

Condition December 31, 1909, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of Capital paid up in cash	$ 1,000,000 00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st of previous year	4,670,564 79
Income—From Policy-holders, $1,296,973.24; Miscellaneous, $404,216.38; Total	1,601,189 62
Disbursements—To Policy-holders, $514,838.78; Miscellaneous, $602,319.01; Total	1,117,957 79
Business written during year—Number of policies, 3,050; Amount	8,023,541 60
Business in force at end of year—Number of policies, 11,207; Amount	36,856,716 70

ASSETS.

Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	$ 1,464,850 00
Loans made to Policy-holders on this Company's Policies assigned as collateral	437,910 63
Premium notes on Policies in force	143,335 67
Value of Bonds and Stocks	2,339,205 57
Cash in Company's office	562 45
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	192,342 44
Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest	592,542 44
Interest and Rents due and accrued	43,183 01
Premiums unpaid	145,156 90
All other assets as detailed in statement	90,704 62
Total	$ 5,364,450 99
Less Assets, not admitted	158,687 81
Total admitted Assets	$ 5,205,763 18

LIABILITIES.

Net Reserve, as computed	$ 3,479,708 00
Other Reserves and Special Funds	19,354 70
Net Policy claims	97,284 83
Premiums paid in advance	5,148 60
Other amounts due Policy-holders	9,749 96
Commissions due to agents, etc	5,803 96
All other Liabilities as detailed in statement	82,026 69
Capital paid up in cash	1,000,000 00
Unassigned funds (surplus)	506,686 44
Total Liabilities	$ 5,205,763 18

Business in North Carolina During 1909.

Policies on the lives of citizens of said State in force December 31 of previous year, Number 922; Amount	$ 238,160 00
Policies on the lives of citizens of said State issued during the year, Number 103; Amount	238,610 00
Total number 195; Amount	$ 496,770 00
Deduct ceased to be in force during the year, Number 21; Amount	49,500 00
Policies in force December 31, 190.., Number 174; Amount	$ 447,270 00
Cash	11,398 86

President, Arthur E. Childs; Secretary, W. H. Brown.

Home Office, 176 and 180 Federal Street, Boston, Mass.

Attorney for service Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N. C.

Business Manager for North Carolina, Home Office.

State of North Carolina,
Insurance Department,
Raleigh, N. C.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Columbian National Life Insurance Company, of Boston, Mass. filed with this Department, showing the condition of said company on the 31st day of December, 1909.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
ma 14 2t Insurance Commissioner.

STATEMENT
FIDELITY FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, New York.

Condition December 31, 1909, as shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of Capital paid up in cash	$1,000,000 00
Amount of Ledger Assets December 31st previous year	3,421,232 50
Income—From Policy-holders, $1,042,778.93; Miscellaneous, $643,391.16; Total	1,686,170 09
Disbursements—To Policy-holders, $427,039.36; Miscellaneous, $591,533.32; Total	1,018,572 68
Fire Risks—Written or renewed during year, $145,593,734; In force	187,188,879

ASSETS.

Value of Bonds and Stocks	$3,525,480 00
Cash in Home Office	5,647 22
Deposited in Bank	403,431 51
Agents' balance, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 1909	168,421 07
Agents' balance, representing business written prior to October 1, 1909	2,550 83
Bills receivable taken for fire risks	1,489 28
Interest and Rents due and accrued	3,672 66
Total	$4,110,692 57
Less Assets, not admitted	2,550 83
Total admitted Assets	$4,108,141 74

LIABILITIES.

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims	$ 90,022 86
Unearned Premiums	967,007 90
State, County and Municipal Taxes	20,000 00
Re-Insurance Premiums	10,556 86
Total Liabilities as to Policy-holders	$1,087,587 62
Capital actually paid up in cash	1,000,000 00
Surplus	2,020,554 12
Total Liabilities	$4,108,141 74

Business in North Carolina During 1909.

Fire Risks written, $1,052,048; Premiums received	$ 13,599 43
Losses incurred—Fire, $5,747.89; Paid	4,790 12
Losses now unpaid	957 77

President, Henry Evans; Secretary J. E. Lopeze.

Home Office, 46 Cedar street, New York.

General Agent for service, D. F. Fort, Raleigh, N. C.

Business Manager for North Carolina, Home Office.

State of North Carolina,
Insurance Department,
Raleigh, N. C.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Fidelity Fire Insurance Company, of New York, filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1909.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
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Tuesday, May 17th, 1910.

CONGESTED POPULATION.

It is curious to read of the problem of handling the congested population of New York City when it is the problem in North Carolina to get enough people to develop the agricultural resources of the State. People of all nations have so crowded into some of the down town districts of the great cities that they have become a menace to the health and social conditions of the city. It has grown into such a serious problem that several years ago a committee on Congestion of Population was organized to make a study of the situation and evolve a solution of the serious conditions that have been brought about by the crowding of people into living apartments to such an extent that they might be likened to sardines packed in a box. Three years ago the committee made a striking exhibit of the results of this crowding together of humanity, but the conditions have grown from better to worse. The situation has become so aggravated that Mayor Gaynor has appointed a commission, largely composed of aldermen, to discuss, examine into, and make some practical effort to do something with what is termed one of the city's gravest problems.

It is fully recognized by the New York authorities and people that it is time that New York seriously turns its attention to the crowding together of its people. Although containing some of the most congested districts of any city in the world, nothing practical has been done to prevent congestion from growing worse, for it is agreed that it is constantly growing worse, while other districts are getting in a similar condition.

The cause of congestion is that in a large city rents are so high that it forces people to crowd together as a matter of economy if really not as a means of existence. It is hard to conceive why people will huddle together like that when the balance of the country affords them plenty of room and opportunities to live comfortably. New York wants to get rid of some of her population and North Carolina wants and needs more of it. If those crowded people will make good citizens, it would be a good idea for New York to advertise among them the attractions offered by various parts of the country and thus induce them to emigrate. No doubt some of those people would like to get away but are not able to do so, while others would rather slave and starve in New York than to go where they will have a chance in life.

AN HONEST DIFFERENCE.

Senator Simmons voted for the long and short haul clause in the Taft railroad bill. Senator Overman voted against it. North Carolinians are prepared to believe that the senior Senator voted for it because he honestly believed that it was better than none, and that the junior Senator voted against it because it isn't worth shucks. It is a question of judgment and the constituents of the North Carolina Senators know that it was honestly expressed.

The Hon. Sereno E. Payne, of New York, defended the Payne tariff bill in the House debate at Washington last Thursday. Of course, he did. He occupies the same attitude towards his bill that a man does when he lies and tells some more lies in order to keep his first lie from looking like a lie.

Referring to Colonel Roosevelt, an Alabama paper declares: "With all his faults we love him still." Well he is still—still doing everything he can to keep the Rough Rider before the public gaze.

SUSPICIOUS INSURGENTS.

The New York Tribune (Rep.) remarks that "as many marvels come nowadays out of Washington as used in ancient times come out of Africa." Our Republican contemporary says that by way of expressing amazement at Washington dispatches which brought "the startling news" that the Hon. Sereno Payne, the Hon. John Dalzell and the Hon. Joseph W. Fordney, hitherto stalwarts of the regulars in the lower House of Congress, have joined the ranks of the Insurgents. It is reported that these mossbacks will oppose the Tawney provision of the sundry civil appropriation bill for the continuance of the work of the Tariff Board and the explicit recognition of its authority to collect data showing the difference in the cost of production here and in European countries. As a further expression of the Tribune's amazement we quote the following:

"It need hardly be said that the appearance of these three loyal 'Old Guardsmen' in the role of insurrectionists and opponents of one of President Taft's chief legislative policies would create as much amazement as did the appearance of Saul among the prophets. It is difficult to understand why Messrs. Payne, Dalzell and Fordney should take to the woods on the issue of broadening the work and powers of the Tariff Board."

No cause for alarm. The three mossbacks are not insurging. They are merely standing pat. It is true that they are opposing one of President Taft's pet measures but they are doing it in behalf of the protected interests. They are not regulars if you go to monkeying with the tariff bill so as to cut down the tariff benefits which the Republican party intends shall go into the lap of the beneficiaries of protection. This apparent insurging is explained when it is remembered that President Taft, in an endeavor to ease out from under the responsibilities of the tariff bill which has incensed the people all over the United States, has pointed out that the object of an inquiry into the cost of production here and abroad is merely to correct any possible errors made in apportioning duties under the Payne tariff law. These three leading members of the House Ways and Means Committee cannot be credited with considering the Payne law absolutely flawless. They have gone up against one of the President's pet measures because it might affect the amount of protection that the Republican party is anxious for the monopolies to have in full measure.

CAROLINA GROWN RICE.

The low lying lands on the Cape Fear river and other streams around Wilmington produce the highest grade of rice known in the world. At one time rice production was one of our great industries and many fine rice plantations were to be found in this section. While rice is still grown in considerable quantities the industry, once the chief agricultural pursuit in this part of the country, has given way to truck farming and other agricultural pursuits. However, the great fertility of the lands adapted to rice culture yet offers rich harvest in that line of industry. We are yet to see a great revival of rice growing in eastern North Carolina and the time is now right for the reclamation of our many acres of fine rice lands. Modern dredging machinery and new systems of drainage will make reclamation economical and the big profits to be secured from rice production will sooner or later invite attention to this matter.

Mr. DeLancey Evans, the government rice expert, was in Wilmington recently and expressed astonishment that the rice growing industry on the Cape Fear was not being developed as it should. He is authority for the declaration that North Carolina grown rice is the best in the world and he stated that for seed purposes alone there would be a fortune in the industry at this time. The cultivation of rice is carried on in many portions of the South on an extensivie scale and there has arisen a tremendous demand from Louisiana, Texas and other rice growing countries for North Carolina seed rice.

This is a matter of great importance in the future development of the agricultural interests of this section and it is an inviting field for men with capital and enterprise or for companies organized to conduct operations on an economical and systematic scale. There are some fine rice plantations near Wilmington and they are still yielding fortunes for their successful owners. By all means there should be a revival of the industry in view of its great promise.

The wedding gown of a Washington girl is to be a Parisian creation that will represent a cost of $15,000. A North Carolina girl can go to the altar wearing a $25 dress and the girl in it would be worth ten times more than the "glad rags" that come from Paris. When a fellow gets a Tar Heel girl he draws a prize worth more than all the fine clothes that a Parisian modiste could produce in a thousand years.

Some of our contemporaries give considerable prominence to rows between conspicuous but not prominent North Carolina Republicans, just as if their mix-ups amounted to something more than a cat fight.

THE SPECIAL INTEREST PARTY.

The Republican party, while pretending to stand for the freedom of the individual, puts a guarantee in its platform to make sure of a profit for the combined wealth that is making a serf of the individual and defying the laws that are aimed at restricting its power to take advantage of the masses. Facts and the evidence prove it. The Democratic party stands for individual rights and denies to capital the privilege which the Republican party gives it to monopolize production, crush competition by unfair methods and squeeze consumers.

The Democratic party has no fight against capital at all but it is engaged in a fight against methods used by some combinations of capital to the disadvantage and detriment of the masses. It guarantees all the rights of capital but denies it license. If the people are not doped they ought to see the difference between the two parties which are contending for their votes. Some of the people ought to quit being bought up by trust money contributed to Republican campaign funds, and some of the people ought to quit being fooled by the Republican party's howl that the business interests of the country would be endangered in the hands of the Democrats.

After witnessing the most disastrous panic in the history of the Republic, while the Republican party was in full control of the Government, all the people have reason to know that prosperity is not created by politics of any description, and that if politics can cause a loss of confidence and bring on a panic, the Republican party has furnished us the kind that has caused more bank failures, greater financial distress and more commercial depression than has ever been experienced in American history.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT'S NONCHALANCE.

President Roosevelt has at last authoritatively denied that he said he endorsed President Taft's administration. Does the ex-President desire us to understand that he feared that the American people might take it that "silence means consent?" His disclaimer means that he didn't say it and furthermore indicates that he does not care to give the President the benefit of even silence.

This is one time that silence would have been golden, from the administration viewpoint, inasmuch as it is badly in need of endorsement or the silence that would be just as good. If the Rough Rider can endorse it and won't, he makes it awkward for President Taft, who is badly in need of endorsement. If he ever needs it, now would be the accepted time. The refusal of Col. Roosevelt to even assent by silence is a bad sign. His nonchalance is strange and distressing. "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party."

Some people are afraid of the comet without stopping to think that the comet is one hundred million miles away while Father Time is here getting in his work everyday, changing their hair from black to gray, putting palor on their cheeks, tinkering with their heart-beats, and slowly but surely dragging them to the grave. Better be afraid of the Future instead of the comet.

An Italian poet, Signor d'Annunzio, has gotten $80,000 in debt. If a North Carolina poet could get people to trust him with that much money he would subside and take to the woods. In that instance the loan of money would mean the suppression of genius. Therefore, we will loan no money to home poets.

"What is the cause of all these political disturbances in the Republican and Democratic ranks throughout the United States?" inquires a contemporary. The principal cause is on account of persistent and determined efforts to make the pie counter rotate like a merry-go-round.

A Boston woman has secured a divorce because her husband chased her around the house with a live lobster in his hands. She had better luck than some women who are married to lobsters and wouldn't hear to any proposition for a divorce.

Two Waynesville papers have been pulling wool over an ordinary unoffending and insignificant poll-tax receipt. Newspapers should be careful how they get to worrying over trivial matters like two common political factions.

An astronomer has predicted the death of the world's leading statesman. Predictions like that are thoughtless if not heartless. They are liable to cause Colonel Roosevelt serious apprehensions of a purely personal nature.

Uncle Sam promises that this census shall be accurate. This may indicate that Uncle Sam has hit upon some plan of getting the age of his lady population without trusting their own calculation.

If all the insurgents, malcontents and disappointed elements of the political parties could get together they could put forward a platform that would be two hot to stand on.

Says the Houston Chronicle: "Every man who does his full duty has nothing to fear." A whole lot of married Texas men are prepared to dispute that.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The United States government is finding that the (Western) farmers to whom it advanced money for irrigation purposes are pretty good fellows. They are keeping their promises to pay back the government in fine style, says the Providence News. And a good deal of the money advanced comes out of the people of the East and South, where are vast swamp lands, which, if drained, would prove far more productive than the irrigated Western lands.—Richmond News Leader.

Retribution is at last overtaking the party which has consistently and continually deceived the people and which has consistently and continually served the tariff protected monopolies of the East. The Democratic party needs only to be self-contained, strong and conservative. If we stand firm on the basic principles of the party and leave off running after supposedly popular fads, the party will again come into power and restore the government to its place, as the servant of the people.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Two years ago Joseph W. Folk, of Missouri, did not make a formidable appearance as a Presidential candidate, but Mr. Bryan being in the field, there was not much chance for anyone else. At the present time there is considerable uncertainty whether Mr. Bryan will be a candidate, and Mr. Folk's friends are planning to launch his Presidential boom at a great dinner to be given in a few weeks. Mr. Folk is a good Democrat, and a tireless and fearless fighter of graft in all its forms. He is a Democrat without populistic entanglements.—Philadelphia Record. (Dem.)

The "Iowa Idea" was reasserted with great vigor by the progressive Senators of that State at a grand rally at Des Moinies. There is no such hesitation in Iowa as was shown in Indiana. Both Dolliver and Cummins are perfectly outspoken in their opposition to the Republican protective tariff. If the party cannot be rescued from the control of the protectionists, they are quite ready to abandon it. From their speeches, we should class both of these insurgents as quite irreconcilable. They have started in to change the Iowa delegation in the House of Representatives and apparently with good chances of success. When they get the Republican party won over to "tariff reform" it will be interesting to observe what will happen in Pennsylvania.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Practically all of the grand opera singers sailed from New York for Europe during the early part of the week. One lot of them, which went on the Kaiser Wilhelm II., is said to have carried away not less than $1,000,000 for the season's work. Caruso was in the party. His winnings for the season are said to aggregate upwards of $200,000, of which $150,000 came from the opera company and $50,000 from his royalties on phonograph records. It is noted as a remarkable development that the great opera singers are now able to live in luxury on their receipts from the phonograph companies and put aside their salaries as so much clear profit. The past season of grand opera in the United States is believed to have been the most profitable on record for the singers and one of the least profitable for the promoters.—Savannah News.

The Democratic party's chief danger does not lie so much in its formidable foe—the Republican party—as it does in the party sins committed within the ranks of the party itself—the sin which doth so easily beset us (the Democrats) namely—that of creating factions within our party just a few months before an important election in the State. The Republican party in this State, we believe, is fighting harder for the control of the political affairs of the State than they have ever done before, and while we are as confident, as our best judgment will permit, that the Democratic party is reasonably safe and sound in State politics, it is just as well for the party to be on its guard. Let us remember that the Republicans are tricky, and the party is engineered by some of the shrewdest and hungriest politicians running at large—and their pie counter in the State is getting pretty empty and the picnic season is now upon them. There must be pickings from somewhere.—Newbern Sun.

Literally millioins of dollars are involved in the prize fight that is to be held in California on July 4 between Jeffries and Johnson. There will be a fortune for each of the fighters in the cointest, whatever the result may be, besides other fortunes to the "sports" who are able to "pick the winner." "If the statisticians have not been too careless with their ciphers", says a writer in Harper's Weekly, "the negro could lose his title and still be the recipient of some $358,250. Should he, on the other hand, demonstrate superior endurance and ability over the Los Angeles farmer, then the Californian will have to be content with some $158,000." Either sum is far more than the average college professor or preacher or newspaper editor can earn in a lifetime. The men of brains may teach civilization and goodness and charity "till paupers and be buried by charity, while the cows come home" and then live and die poor, while the husky bruiser can go out and with his fists knock himself rich in a few rounds.—Savannah News.

Raleigh dispatches bring news of an important forward step in the hookworm campaign. Plans have been made for the division of the State into five or more districts, to each of which will be assigned a competent physician who will devote his entire time to the prosecution of this work. These physicians will not only combat the disease wherever it is encountered, but will engage in an active campaign of education, addressing medical societies, teachers' meetings and similar gatherings upon the best methods available for the fight. From a medical standpoint the campaign against hookworm is inseparably connected with the similar campaign against tuberculosis and typhoid fever, and the successful prosecution of the former cannot fail to assist and lend impetus to the latter. It is obvious that great responsibilities will rest upon the shoulders of the doctors soon to be selected by the State Board of Health and the Rockefeller sanitation commission for the hookworm campaign in North Carolina. The attitude of the people at large upon the subject will have much to do with the success or failure of their efforts. Under the circumstances it will redound to the lasting benefit of the State if the public realize the opportunity, and cooperate heartily with those in charge. Mr. Rockefeller's gift is not without an undesirable aspect, but no reason exists why it should not be used as effectively as possible.—Charlotte Observer.

FROST DAMAGES CROPS.

Fruit and Vegetables in Western North Carolina Ruined.

(Special to Charlotte Observer.)

Waynesville, May 15.—An unusually heavy frost for this time of the year was observed this morning. Young vegetables, where unprotected, were totally destroyed. Even Irish potato vines, six inches high, were nipped and turned black. The grown leaves on trees have been turned dark. No estimate can be made of the damage by the frost of yesterday morning and this morning. People from the country in town yesterday, in speaking of the cold yesterday morning, said that corn and garden vegetables were frozen stiff and that the leaves would rattle like dried ones. There has been no such spell as this in twelve years before. Great uneasiness is felt for the wheat crop. Although it is heading out and approaching the harvest time, it is feared that the cold has permanently checked the growth and damaged the crop at least one-third. That part of the apple crop that escaped the snow storm the last of April is beginning to drop from the trees and it now seems certain that the crop is almost ruined.

BIG OFFICE FOR PROF. HOLMES.

May be Appointed Director for Bureau of Mines.

Washington, D. C., May 14.—It is probable that J. A. Holmes, former State Geologist of North Carolina, who resided in Raleigh for a time will be appointed director for a new Bureau of Mines which has just been established by Congress. The position will pay $6,000 a year. Dr. Holmes came to Washington about five years ago from North Carolina. He is in charge of the Technological Department of the Geological Survey. A big delegation went to the White House today representing the State geologists and mining interests to ask the President to give the appointment to Dr. Holmes. There is some opposition to his selection, but the chances are that he will win out.

Boy Farmer Exciting State Wide Interest.

(Special to Charlotte Observer.)

Oxford, May 15.—Saturday Prof. J. C. Schaub, of the Department of Agriculture, came to Oxford to get the picture of Lee Blackwell. This is the boy who last year in the Granville county boys' corn club, though only 12 years old and weighing 76 1-2 pounds, raised on one acre 76 1-4 bushels of corn, lacking just 1-4 bushel of raising as many bushels as his weight in pounds. Professor Schaub says he has told about this little Granville county farmer in over seventy different county institute talks and it has never failed to evoke hearty applause. He is preparing his photograph to use in the newspapers and also having a lantern slide made for illustrated lectures.

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MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, May 16.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady 60 1-2 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.80.

TAR—Market, firm $2.10 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market, firm $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip and $5.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 37, rosin $2.65, tar $1.70, crude turpentine $1.75 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine 18
Rosin 219
Tar 48
Crude turpentine 34

Receipts, same day last year 27 casks spirits turpentine, 48 barrels rosin, 71 barrels tar, 50 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 15 cents. Quotations corresponding day last year 8 9-16c.

Receipts—535 bales, same day last year 657 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith May 15th.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, No. 1 $1.20@$1.25 per bushel; Spanish $1.40 and $1.50; Virginias $1.00 and $1.10.

CORN—Firm 90 to 95c per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 19 to 20; shoulders and sides 15 cts.

EGGS—19 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 20 and 35; grown 45 to 50, scarce.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26 to 27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2 to 5c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 80c. 4 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr., flint 14c; green 9c per pound

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 65c per bushel for yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c.; free of burr 24 to 25c.

CHEESE—60@65 per head.

PORK—Small corn fed 10; large 9c., owing to quality.

SHEEP—No sales.

LAMBS—Good demand $1.50 to $3.00.

PEAS—White black eyes $2.25 and $2.50; lady fingers $2.75; clay and cow peas $1.65, dull.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, May 16.—The cotton market was more or less nervous and irregular during today's trading, but after an opening decline showed a generally firmer, and closed steady at a net advance of 5 to 15 points. The renewal of local bear pressure and scattering liquidation such as was noted on Friday and Saturday, and which had the encouragment of rains in sections of the belt previously complaining of insufficient moisture.

It was however, the near positions which showed the greatest loss, probably owing to a theory that the bulls were "letting off" May and June off to avoid further shipments from the south and with the weather map showing no rains off any consequence, as the whole list soon firmed up on a renewal of bull support and covering. After selling at a net advance of about 6 to 8 points on active old crop positions and of four points on the new, the market eased off to within a point or two of last night's finals owing to the forecast calling for showers and warmer weather in the Eastern belt and for showers in Texas, but this decline was soon checked by a renewal of support, and later in the day the market ruled generally steady to firm with August and September leading the advance. Readers of the weather may predicted much lower temperatures in the west part of the belt tomorrow and in the last few minutes, spot houses were good buyers of October. Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 1-8c lower. The Liverpool exchange will only be open Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Generally speaking this morning's weather reports were considered more favorable, but private crop accounts showed no improvement and there are continued predictions of a bullish government report early in June.

Receipts at the ports today were 11,404 bales against 7,074 last week and 8,669 last year. For the week 50,000 bales against 56,186 last week and 88,851 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans were 2,963 against 1,949 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 15.90; middling gulf 16.15. Sales were 18,251 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
May	15.37	15.53	15.36	15.48
June		15.50	15.50	15.48
July	15.43	15.57	15.40	15.52
August	14.91	15.17	14.90	15.13
September	13.76	13.97	13.76	13.95
October	12.89	13.02	12.89	13.00
November				12.90
December	12.71	12.85	12.70	12.84
January	12.67	12.80	12.67	12.80
February				
March	12.75	12.80	12.75	12.85

HUBBARD BROS & CO.

Market Opened With Uncertain Feeling. Bull Support.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, May 16.—With no advices from Liverpool until Wednesday our market opened with an uncertain feeling and a waiting upon support from the bull leaders. As this was not forthcoming prices, found a level at about ten points decline from which the advance was rapid. Extreme dullness marked the trading but supporting bids on any decline steadied and held quotations. No feature local business, waiting developments, that is the days record.

HUBBARD BROS & CO.

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 1,415; gross receipts 1,415; sales 215; stock 53,407.

New Orleans—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 2,963; gross receipts 2,963; sales 345; stock 84,043; Great Britain 4,000; Continent 4,500.

Mobile—Quiet, 15 1-8; net receipts 93; gross receipts 97; sales 50; stock 20,166; coastwise 4.

Savannah—Quiet, 15 1-16; net receipts 2,383; gross receipts 4,005; sales 200; stock 28,853; continent 6,159; coastwise 6,626.

Charleston—Nominal, 15; net receipts 709; gross receipts 709; stock 6,227; coastwise 1,341.

Wilmington—Quiet, 15; net receipts 335; gross receipts 335; stock 13,219.

Norfolk—Steady, 15 1-2; net receipts 3,297; gross receipts 3,297; sales 65; stock 17,968; coastwise 1,645.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15 3-4; stock 7,907.

New York—Quiet, 15.90; net receipts 148; gross receipts 8,212; sales 18,251; stock 242,423.

Boston—Quiet, 15.90; net receipts 50; gross receipts 524; stock 8,048.

Philadelphia—Steady, 16.15; stock 1,401.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 14,401; Great Britain 4,000; Continent 10,659 stock 485,434.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 20,639; Great Britain 17,439; Continent 11,462.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 6,883,382; Great Britain 2,073,405; France 839,977; Continent 2,381,190; Japan 86,441; Mexico 13,819.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 631; gross receipts 631; shipments 2,032; sales 1,602; stock 52,187.

Augusta—Steady, 15 1-4; net receipts 151; gross receipts 151; shipments 150; sales 324; stock 24,701.

Memphis—Steady, 15 1-8; net receipts 75; gross receipts 931; shipments 3,843; sales 1,800; stock 65,622.

St. Louis—Steady 15; gross receipts 253; shipments 835; sales 83; stock 30,878.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 491; gross receipts 491; shipments 64; stock 14,134.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 1-2; net receipts 256; gross receipts 256; shipments 3; stock 27,995.

Louisville—Firm, 15 1-8.

Total today—Net receipts 1,604; gross receipts 2,713; shipments 6,924; sales 3,848; stock 193,517.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, May 16.—Dry goods market. Cotton goods were in better demand in a moderate way at the opening of the market. Discounts have been lengthened slightly on Amoskeag staple ginghams and the price has been guaranteed to September 1. Dress goods rule quiet. Raw silk is firmer abroad but irregular in the local market.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, May 16.—Indications were plentiful that followers of the leading longs were selling out wheat today. The northwest, too, sold considerable here. Fine rains over the entire winter and spring wheat country materially improved the crop outlook, and led to a somewhat decided change in sentiment. The close was steady but at a decline of 3-8 to 3-4 to 7-8. Corn and oats finished 1-8c lower to 1-8 higher, provisions lost 2 1-2 to 7 1-2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos
Wheat—				
May	1 13	1 14½	1 13	1 13¾
July	1 03⅞	1 04½	1 03¼	1 04⅛
Sept	1 01⅜	1 01⅝	1 01⅛	1 01¼
Corn—				
May	60¼	60½	60⅛	60⅜
July	62¼	62¼	62⅜	62⅝
Sept	63½	63½	63⅛	63⅜
Dec.	58¾	58¼	57⅝	58
Oats—				
May	42¼	42⅝	42¼	42⅜
July	40⅜	41	40⅜	40⅜
Sept	39½	39⅝	39⅜	39⅜
Dec.	40¼	40¼	40	40⅛
July	22 75	22 97½	22 75	22 95
Sept	22 75	22 85	22 75	22 80
Lard, per 100 lbs.				
July	12 70	12 75	12 62½	12 75
Sept	12 55	12 62½	12 55	12 62½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.				
July	12 55	12 60	12 52½	12 57½
Sept	12 47½	12 52½	12 45	12 47½

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, May 16.—Cash wheat No. 2 red 1.15 to 1.16 1-2; No. 3 red 1.8 to 1.14 1-2; No. 2 hard 1.14 1-8 to 1-2; No. 3 hard 1.10-1-4 to 1.10 1-2; No. 3 spring 1.06 1-4 to 1-2.

Corn—No. 2, 62 to 62 1-4; No. 2 white 08 to 63 1-4; No. 2 yellow 63 1-2; No. 3, 61 to 61 1-4; No. 3 white 60 1-2 to 07; No. 3 yellow 62 1-2 to 62 3-4; No. 4, 59 to 60; No. 4 yellow 59 1-2 to 61.

Oats—No. 2, 41 to 41 1-4; No. 2 white 43 1-2 to 44; No. 3 white 41 to 43; No. 4 white 39 to 41 1-2; standard 43 1-4 to 43 3-4.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, May 16.—Flour quiet and barely steady.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red 1.15 nominal c.i.f. No. 1, northern 1.20 7-8 nominal f.o.b. Options closed at 1c net decline. May 1.16; July 1.1 5-8; September 1.07 7-8c.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 70 asked elevator domestic basis. Options closed unchanged. May 70; July 72 3-8; September 71 5-8.

Oats—Spot quiet; mixed nominal. Options closed nominal.

Lard—Easy.

Tallow—Easy.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw quiet. Refined sugar quiet.

Coffee—Futures closed steady, net unchanged to 5 points lower. Spot quiet. Rio No. 7, 8 1-4 to 3-8; Santos No. 4, 9 1-4; mild quiet; Cordova 9 1-4 to 12 1-4.

Butter—Firm; creamery specials per pound 29; extras 28 1-2; thirds to firsts 25 to 28; state dairy finest 28, common to prime 23 to 27; process specials 25 1-2; seconds to extras 22 to 25; factory seconds to firsts 21 1-2 to 23; imitation creamery 24 1-2 to 25 1-2.

Cheese—Firm; state full cream, new specials 14 1-2 to 15; fancy white 14; fancy colored 14; average prime 13 1-2 to 13 3-4; fair to good 12 1-4 to 12 3-4; common 10 to 11; old as to quality 16 to 17; state skims specials 11 1-2; fine 9 1-2 to 10; fair to good 7 to 8 1-2; common 5 1-2 to 6 1-2; full skims 3 1-2 to 4.

Eggs—Barely steady; state, Pennsylvania and nearby heavery white 24 to 25; gathered white 22 1-2 to 25; heavery brown 23 1-2 to 24; gathered brown 22 24; fresh gathered storage packed selections 22 to 22 1-2; regular packed extra first 22 to 22 1-2; firsts 2 1-2 to 21 1-2.

Potatoes—Steady; Southern 2.00 to 3.75 per barrel; do second crop 75c to 1.00; old in bulk per 180 pounds 1.00 to 1.25; do per bag 75c to 1.10; Southern sweets 40c to 75c per basket; Jersey 60 to 50c.

Cabbages—Steady; western shore per crate 1.25 to 1.5; Flat Dutch crate 1.25 to 1.5; Southern per barrel 1.32 to 1.80; do per crate 1.00 to 1.50.

Freights—Dull cotton per 100 pounds 15; grain to Liverpool 1 4-2d; grain to London 1 1-4d.

Peanuts—Easy fancy handpicked Virginia 4 1-4 to 5 1-2; Virginia shelled No. 1 and 2, 4 to 7.

The cotton seed oil market was strong at new high records for the near positions on covering by shorts and support by the bulls. Prices at the close were unchanged to 8 points net higher with sales of 14,500 barrels. July 8.06 to 8.07; September 8.01 to 8.02; October 7.48 to 7.49; December 6.68 to 69. Prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 8.17 to 8.27; prime winter yellow 8.35 to 8.90; prime summer white 8.10 to 8.60.

THE STOCK MARKET.

New York, May 16.—The professional operators in stocks rescued the market today from idleness by only a narrow margin. There were dealings on a fairly large scale in one or two individual stocks which were responsible for weather semblance of activity the market had. The principal of these was Reading, that stock taking the leadership away from United States Steel. The only news on Reading was the revival of the reports of an intended change in the form of capitalizations. These reports hinge on the authority for exchange of the second preferred stock into half first preferred and half common stock. The movement had a considerable following amongst professional traders.

The closing of foreign stock exchanges in observance of Whit Monday holiday and the prospects of a further interruption this week by the funeral ceremonies for the late King of England were called responsible in large part for the intense dullness of the market. The bidding up of prices was said to be due to the expectation that London would buy at the higher level upon resuming business tomorrow. Influence was ascribed to the expectation that the Supreme Court would act on the corporation tax case today. Prices rose to the best of the day after it was announced that there was no decision in the corporation tax case and that the American Tobacco and Standard Oil cases had been set for re-hearing in November.

The heavy tone of Chesapeake and Ohio was due to the receivership for the Hocking Valley in the suit to prevent its sale to the Chesapeake and Ohio, such news as there was seemed to have little effect in moving prices. Crop advices were mixed as between the benefit of rains and fears of another drop in temperature in the northwest. The depressing effect of the Hocking Valley receivership was in force when the market closed with the effect of having wiped out gains and leaving net changes in significant.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value, were $1,457,000. United States 3s declined 1-4c in the bid price on call.

Total sales of stocks today were 340,700 shares.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 16.—Money on call steady 3 3-4 to 4 per cent., ruling rate 3 3-4, closing bid 3 7-8; offered at 4. Time loans easier; sixty days and ninety days 4 per cent.; six months 4 to 4 1-4. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-2 to 5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8380 to 4.8390 for sixty day bills and at 4.87 for demand. Commercial bills 4.85 1-4 to 3-4. Bar silver 51. Mexican dollars 44.

N. Y. BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s registered	100 3-4
U. S. reg. 2s. coupon	100 3-4
U. S. 3s registered	102
U. S. 3s coupon	102
U. S. 4s. registered	114 3-8
U. S. 4s coupon	114 1-2
Ailis Chalmers 1st 5s	78 1-8
American Agricultural 5s	100 7-8
American Tel. & Tel. cv 4s	101 3-4
American Tobacco 4s	70
American Tobacco 6s	100 7-8
Armour & Co. 4 1-2s	91 3-4
Atchison gen 4s	99
Atchison cv. 4s	110 5-8
Atchison cv. 5s	111 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93 3-4
Baltimore Ohio 4s	98 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio 3 1-2s	90 3
Baltimore & Ohio S. W. 3 1-2s	89 7-8
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4s	84 7-8
Central of Georgia 5s	109 1-4
Central Leather 5s	103 3-4
Central R. R. of N. J. gen 5s	123
Chesapeake & Ohio 4 1-2s	101
Chesapeake & Ohio ref 5s	94 7-8
Chicago & Alton 3 1-2s	70 3-4
Chicago, B. & Q. Joint 4s	95 3-8
Chicago, B. & Q. gen. 4s	97 3-4
Chicago, Mil & St. P. deb 4s	93
Chicago, R. I. & P. R. R. col 4s	77 3-4
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. rfg 4s	89
Colorado Industrial 5s	78 1-4
Colorado Midland 4s	77 1-8
Colo. & Southern ref. & ext 4 1-2s	97 1-4
DelaWare & Hudson cv. 4s	99
Denver & Rio Grande 4s	93 1-2
Denver & Rio Grande ref. 5s	92
Distillers 5s	70 1-8
Erie prior lien 4s	81
Erie Gen. 4s	73
Erie cv. 4s series "A"	77
Erie cv. 4s series "B"	97
General Electric cv. 5s	139 1-2
Illinois Central 1st ref 4s	79 1-2
Interborough Met 4 1-2s	80 3-4
Inter Merc. Marine 4 1-2s	63 1-4
Japan 4s	91 1-8
Japan 4 1-2s	90
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	72 1-2
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93 1-8
Louisville & Nashv. 4s	98 1-2
Missouri, Kan. & Texas 1st 4s	97 3-4
Mo., Kan. & Texas gen 4 1-2s	88
Missouri Pacific 4s	78 5-8
National Rys. of Mexico 4 1-2s	94 1-2
New York Central gen. 3 1-2s	80
New York Central deb 4s	92 3-4
N. Y., N. H. & Hartford cv. 6s	132
Norfolk & Western 1st con. 4s	99
Norfolk & Western cv. 4s	103 1-4
Northern Pacific 4s	100 7-8
Northern Pacific 3s	71 1-2
Oregon Short Line rfdg 4s	93 1-2
Penn. cv. 3 1-2s, (1915)	96 1-4
Penn. Con. 4s	103 2-2
Reading Gen. 4s	97 5-8
St. Louis & San Fran. fr 4s	82 5-8
St. Louis & San Fran. gen. 5s	87 7-8
St. Louis S'western con. 4s	77 1-2
St. Louis S'western 1st gold 4s	89 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s and 5s	73 2-4
Southern Pacific col. 4s	90 1-8
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	101
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref 4s	94 1-2
Southern Railway 5s	105 3-4
Southern Railway gen. 4s	77 7-8
Union Pacific 4s	101 1-2
Union Pacific cv. 4s	106 1-2
Union Pacific 1st and ref 4s	96 7-8
U. S. Rubber 6s	103 1-4
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	104 1-4
Virginia Car. Chemical 5s	98 1-2
Wabash 1st 5s	108 3-4
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	71 3-4
Western Md. 4s	84 1-2
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	89
Wisconsin Central 4s	90 3-4

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis Chalmers pfd	36
Amalgamated Copper	71 3-8
American Agricultural	46
American Beet Sugar	37 5-8
American Can	9 7-8
American Car & Foundry	61 1-2
American Cotton Oil	63 3-4
American Hide & Leather pfd	33
American Ice Securities	25
American Linseed	14
American Locomotive	49
American Smelting & Refng	79 3-4
Amer. Smelting & Refng pfd	101
American Steel & Foundries	36
American Sugar Refining	122
American Tel. & Tel	136 3-4
American Tobacco, pfd	95 1-2
American Woolen	34
Anaconda Mining Co.	44 5-8
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Atchison	111
Atchison pfd	101 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	124 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	110 3-4
Bethlehem Steel	27 1-4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	80 1-2
Canadian Pacific	193 1-8
Central Leather	41 7-8
Central Leather pfd	107 1-2
Central of New Jersey	220
Chesapeake & Ohio	85 1-2
Chicago & Alton	45
Chicago Great Western	27
Chicago Great Western pfd	51
Chicago & Northwestern	151
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	138 3-4
C., C., C. & St. Louis	80
Colorado Fuel & Iron	38 1-4
Colorado & Southern	60 1-4
Consolidated Gas	138 5-8
Corn Products	16 1-4
Delaware & Hudson	172
Denver & Rio Grande	41
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	79
Distillers' Securities	31
Erie	28 3-8
Erie 1st pfd	47 3-8
Erie 2nd pfd	36 7-8
General Electric	148 1-2
Great Northern pfd	136 1-2
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	64
Illinois Central	134 3-4
Interborough Met	20 1-2
Interborough Met pfd	55
Inter Harvest	96 3-4
Inter Marine pfd	19
International Paper	12
International Pump	48 1-2
Iowa Central	21
Kansas City Southern	34 1-4
Kansas City Southern pfd	69
Laclede Gas	102
Louisville & Nashville	147
Minneapolis & St. Louis	36
Minn., St. P. & Sault St. M.	140
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	42
Missouri, Kansas & Texas pfd	69
Missouri Pacific	69 3-8
National Biscuit	100
National Lead	78 1-4
Nat'l Rys. of Mexico 2nd pfd	29 3-8
New York Central	121
New York, Ontario & Western	44 3-4
Norfolk & Western	102 5-8
North American	75
Northern Pacific	133 3-4
Pacific Mail	30
Pennsylvania	134 3-4
People's Gas	107 7-8
Pittsburg, C. C. & St. Louis	101
Pittsburg coal	19
Pressed Steel Car	39 1-2
Pullman Palace Car	161 1-4
Railway Steel Spring	39 1-2
Reading	163
Republic Steel	34
Republic Steel pfd	97 1-4
Rock Island Co.	44 7-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	90
St. Louis & San Fran 2nd pfd	48 1-2
St. Louis Southwestern	31 1-8
St. Louis Southwestern pfd	74
Sloss Sheffield Steel & Iron	74
Southern Pacific	124 1-4
Southern Railway	27
Southern Railway pfd	102 1-2
Tennessee Copper	28
Texas & Pacific	32 1-2
Toledo, St. Louis & West	39
Toledo, St. Louis & West pfd	63 5-8
Union Pacific	183
Union Pacific fd	94 1-2
United States Realty	72 1-2
United States Rubber	44
United States Steel	83 1-4
United States Steel pfd	118 1-8
Utah Copper	46 1-4
Virginia Car Chemical	60 1-4
Wabash	21 3-8
Wabash pfd	46 1-2
Western Maryland	48
Westinghouse Electric	63 1-2
Western Union	68
Wheeling & Lake Erie	4 1-2

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, May 16.—Rosin quiet, turpentine firm.

Charleston, S. C., May 16.—Turpentine firm 61 1-4. Rosin firm. Quote: A, B, C, 4.20 to 4.45; D, 4.50; E, 4.80; F, 4.85; G, 4.90; H, 5.00; I, 5.05; K, 5.10; M, 5.35; N, 5.60; WG, 5.75; WW, 5.95.

Savannah, Ga., May 16.—Turpentine firm 61 3-4; sales 207; receipts 383; shipments 4,98; stocks 3,792. Rosin firm; sales 877; receipts 5,12; shipments 3,274; stocks 47,459. Quote: A, B, C, 4.25; D, 4.50; E, 4.80; F, 4.85; G, 4.90; H, 5.00; I, 5.05; K, 5.10; M, 5.35; N, 5.60; WG, 5.75; WW, 5.95.

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Annie F. Kimball, 337 tons, Southard, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., May 16, 1910.

W. & W. Railroad—99 bales cotton, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—236 bales cotton, 2 barrels tar, 20 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—5 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—5 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—9 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin.

Str. Lisbon—4 casks spirits turpentine, 200 barrels rosin.

Schr. Josie D—18 barrels tar.

Total—335 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 240 barrels rosin, 48 barrels tar, 34 barrels crude turpentine.

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Some Wilmington People Have Learned How to Get Rid of Both.

Backache and kidney ache are twin brothers.

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Doan's Kidney Pills make strong, healthy kidneys.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

PRIMARY NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of New Hanover County, held May 16th, 1910, the following rules and regulations governing the primary to be held May 18th, 1910, and a second primary to be held May 20th, 1910, if found necessary, were adopted:

All candidates for County and Township offices and the candidate for the House of Representatives receiving a majority of the votes cast for the respective offices, shall be declared the nominee of the party for such offices.

The Executive Committeeman in each ward or precinct receiving a majority in his precinct shall be declared the nominee from his ward or precinct.

In the contest for State Senator, the County shall be the unit, and the candidate receiving the majority of the total vote cast in the primary for Senator, shall be entitled to the full County vote in the Senatorial convention. A second primary on such offices in which a failure to make a nomination in the first primary occurs, will be held on May 20th, 1910, at which second primary, only the two highest names as developed by the vote in the first primary, for any office, shall be considered. Attention is called to the official call heretofore made for Executive committeemen, which provided for one member of the Executive Committee from each ward and County precinct. The call was made under authority of the Act of 1905, and voters are cautioned that the marking of more than one name for such office on any ballot, in any ward or precinct, will prevent the counting of said ballot. Attention is also directed to the fact that only five candidates for County Commissioners can be voted for on any one ballot, and generally, that no ballot shall be marked with more names of candidates for any office than are to be elected, under penalty of invalidating said ballots.

For the purpose of information only, the law regarding the Australian ballot and the method of voting in the coming primary, is given, in substance as follows: Polling places have been provided in the several wards and precincts, whereon the day named, any person desiring to vote in his proper ward, shall give his name, and, if required to do so, his residence, to the judges of election, one of whom shall thereupon announce the same, in a loud and distinct tone of voice, clear and audible, and if the voter's name is found on the registration books by the officer having charge thereof, he shall likewise repeat the name, and the voter shall be allowed to enter the space enclosed by guard rail. One of the judges shall give the voter one, and only one ballot on the back of which the said judge shall endorse his initials, that they may be seen when the ballot is properly folded, and the voter's name is immediately checked on the registration list. Any voter who may be registered under the Grandfather clause, or any voter who by reason of physical disability, is unable to mark his ballot, shall, on making oath to such disability, upon request, be assisted in marking his ballot by the election officers. Booths will be provided with shelves indelible pencils, and blotters, to enable voters to prepare their ballots. Where a ballot is spoiled by the voter in preparing it, he may surrender it to the poll holder and receive another, but not more than three ballots will be given him.

JOHN J. FURLONG,
Chairman, Democratic Executive Committee.
Attest:
F. T. SKIPPER,
Secretary. ma17-1t.

Lion Fondles a Child.

In Pittsburg a savage lion fondled the hand that a child thrust into his cage. Danger to a child is sometimes great when least regarded. Often it comes through Colds, Croup, and Whooping Cough. They slay thousands that Dr. King's New Discovery could have saved. "A few doses cured our baby of a very bad case of croup," writes Mrs. George B. Davis, of Flat Rock, N. C., "We always give it to him when he takes cold. It's a wonderful medicine for babies." Best for Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe. 50c. $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

$25.00 lady's hat given away as a free premium at Gaylord's today. **

COL WADDELL FOR RECORDER.

At a meeting of citizens tonight it was decided to urge the name of Col. A. M. Waddell for Recorder of New Hanover County. This action was taken without Col. Waddell's knowledge or consent and we urge him or this position because we think he is the high type of man who should be called to this duty without seeking it, and we urge all citizens to support him.

MANY CITIZENS.

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FOR RECORDER.

To The Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

I hereby announce myself as a Candidate for Renomination to the Office of Recorder, subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primaries May 18th.

JOHN J. FURLONG.

ap 28 18t

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY:

Having represented the counties of New Hanover and Brunswick in the Senate before, I feel grateful for the support then given me. This being the year to which my county is entitled to name the candidate, my friends in both counties have repeatedly requested me again to offer for the position. If elected I shall endeavor to represent the two counties faithfully and honestly without regard to any faction or clique.

Respectfully,

ma 11-18 Inc. GEO H. BELLAMY.

TO DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER.

Thanking you for generous support in the past, I announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the Democratic primary.

ap 19 tf. BROOKE G. EMPIE.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Subject to the will of the people as expressed in the Democratic Primary to be held in New Hanover county, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds.

ap 21 tf. HENRY HORNE.

TO THE VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER CO

I take this method of thanking you for your kind support in the past, and at the same time say to you that I am again a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the Democratic Primary, called to be held on the 18th day of May. If I am nominated and elected I shall do in the future, as I have done in the past, serve you faithfully.

Very Respectfully,

H. McL. GREEN.

ap 10 to ma 18

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County: I again present myself for the nomination of Register of Deeds, subject to your will to be expressed at the polls at the Primary election may 18th, 1910. I deeply and warmly appreciate your past support.

Respectfully,

ap 10 tf JOHN HAAR.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

Without the solicitation of friends, or my other person or persons, but simply of my own volition, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the legislature, from New Hanover County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held the 18th day of May 1910.

JOSEPH W. LITTLE.

ap 10 to ma 18.

FOR CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County:

With grateful acknowledgments of your generous support in the past, I announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Superior Court, subject to the Primary, May 18th, 1910.

p 12 to ma 18. JOHN. D. TAYLOR.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby respectfully announce myself as candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the will of the Democratic voters to be expressed at the Primary May 18th, 1910, and I also wish to thank the Democrats of this county for their support of me and confidence in my administration in past years.

Respectfully,

ap 12 to ma 18. S. P. COWAN.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from New Hanover county, subject to the will of the Democratic party, to be expressed at the primary.

WOODUS KELLUM.

mar 23-tf

FOR CONSTABLE.

Subject to the will of the people to be expressed in the Democratic primary to be held May 18th, I hereby announce myself a candidate for renomination to the office of constable of Wilmington township and will thank my friends for their continued support.

ma 6 1w W. B. SAVAGE.

FOR STATE SENATOR.

Believing it to be a laudable ambition for a young man to aspire to represent the Democracy of the Cape Fear District, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for State Senator for the Counties of New Hanover and Brunswick in the primary to be held May 18th, 1910.

Appreciating the support of all Democratic voters I am,

Respectfully,

ma 10 8t FRED W. BONITZ.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

We, the undersigned voters and taxpayers of New Hanover County, recognizing their eminent fitness and capacity for the position, do most heartily recommend to the voters at the approaching Democratic Primary, the names of the following gentlemen as members of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, to serve for the term set opposite their names, to wit:

MORRISON W. DIVINE, two years.
J. VanB. METTS, four years.
D. McEACHERN, two years.
J. T. KERR, four years, and,
H. L. VOLLERS, two years.

Walter G. MacRae,	Robert R. Bellamy,
Richard J. Jones,	A. B. Skelding,
Wm. E. Worth,	W. F. Corbett,
Jas. F. Woolvin,	C. E. Taylor, Jr.,
Thos. H. Wright,	E. K. Bryan,
R. C. deRosset,	Walker Taylor,
M. J. Corbett,	Geo. R. Elliott,
Marcus W. Jacobi,	John H. Rehder,
Wm. E. Perdew,	Chesnutt & Barrentin
Eduard Ahrens,	E. C. Holt,
Samuel Bear	Sr. & Sons,

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SEALED PROPOSALS.

Will be received at the Mayor's office until noon, June 11, for furnishing the City of Wilmington with labor and materials as specified below for the year ending June, 1911.

1. Feeding and sh

COUNTY PRIMARY LAW AND ITS PROVISIONS

(Continued From Page 7.)

vided, die, withdraw his candidacy or for any reason refuse to permit his name to be used as a candidate in any election, the executive committee of the party that nominated such person shall have the right and power to nominate a substitute candidate for the office for which such person was nominated and such nomination shall have the full force and effect of a regular nomination by primary election; provided, that such nomination by such executive committee be certified to the county board of elections over the signatures of the chairman and secretary of such executive committee and be verified by the oath of either the chairman or the secretary thereof.

Sec. 12. (a) That the provisions of this act shall apply to all primary elections whether for the nomination of candidates or election of delegates to conventions or members of party executive committees to be hereafter held in said county and city; provided, that the names of all candidates for nomination for the several offices for which the party or political organization may elect candidates and the names of candidates for delegates to the several party conventions and of candidates for election to the executive committee of such parties shall be furnished the county board of election to be printed on the ballots for such primary by the executive committees of the political parties holding such primary elections and that such names or lists of candidates for party nominations or election shall be signed by the chairman or acting chairman of the executive committee of such party and not less than three members thereof, and attested and verified by the oath by the secretary or acting secretary thereof; and that all pollholders, Judges of election and other election officers shall be appointed by the county board of elections upon nomination of said executive committee of such party. The expense of all primary elections shall be paid in the same manner as is provided by law for the payment of expenses of other and regular elections.

(b) That the name of any candidate for election to any county, township or legislative office shall not be printed on any ballots in this act provided for unless such candidates shall have been regularly nominated by a primary election in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Sec. 13. That in all elections and primary elections held under the provisions of this act, the election officers who shall give the ballot to any voter shall record on the register of voters or proper book of registration immediately at the right of the name of such voter and on the same line therewith the serial or consecutive number of the ballot so given and that upon the return of any ballot to the proper election officer, either as spoiled, or for deposit in the ballot box, such officer shall compare the number of such returned ballot with the recorded number of the ballot given such voter and if it be the same, then such officer shall immediately detach the stub of such ballot and deposit the ballot in the ballot box or give such voter a new ballot if the conditions in this act provided for the giving of additional ballot exists.

Sec. 14. That this act shall not be construed to abrogate or change any existing laws or clauses thereof regarding elections or primary elections in said New Hanover county except insofar as the provisions of this act are inconsistent with such existing laws.

Sec. 15. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 16. That this act shall be in force and effect from and after the first day of June, 1909.

Ratified this, eighth day of March, A. D. 1909

STATE BOND ISSUE.

Sale on Next Wednesday—Speculation as to the Price.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 14.—Next Wednesday, May 18th, is the day on which the bids for the $3,430,000 refunding bond issue are to be opened in the office of the State Treasurer and considerable interest and not a little anxiety is being manifested as to just what the outcome will be. The North Carolina constitution prescribes that no State bonds shall be sold for less than par. These are to be 4 per cent. bonds and the 4 per cent. bonds of New York are now selling at 99. This would indicate a danger of low bids on the part of out-of-the-State bidders for the North Carolina issue. At the same tme the attitude of the North Carolina banks is right much of an unknown quantity in view of the fact that the case of Raleigh Savings Bank vs. Corporation Commission, involving the right of North Carolina banks to deduct from their surplus their holdings in State bonds before the tax value of shares of stock in the bank is arrived at, is still tied up in the Supreme Court. A ruling in this case was looked for Wednesday of this week but it was not included in the opinions delivered. Now it cannot be decided, or, at least, the opinion handed down before next Wednesday, the day on which the bids for the refunding bond issue are to be opened. So the banks of this State have the handicap of the uncertainty involved in this question confronting them in making their bids for the new issue of bonds. Some take it as an indication that the court is divided on the issue that the opinion in the case failed to come down last Wednesday when it was expected. In the event all bids are below par Wednesday and supplementary bids cannot be procured bringing up to par at the 4 per cent. interest, it will be up to the State to increase the rate of interest and this can only be done by act of the Legislature. So if the situation should come to this pass it would be necessary to call the Legislature together for this purpose and save the credit of the State.

VILLA VIEW.

Beautiful Residence Lots to be Placed on Sale Next Friday.

Attention of the someseeker and investor is called to the announcement of the auction sale of lots next Friday, May 20th, at Villa View, that desirable suburb on Wrightsville Sound. The American Realty & Auction Co., and the Suburban Realty & Auction Co., have taken over the property for the owners and will conduct the sale. Penny Brothers, the famous twin auctioneers, will be on hand and there will be a special train to the grounds, due notice of which is contained in the advertisement. The famous Richardson Band, of Gainesville, Ga., will furnish music and it will be a gala day for all who attend. Ladies and children will be shown special attention. The lots are offered on easy terms. Read the announcement.

$25.00 lady's hat given away as a free premium at Gaylord's today. **

PRESIDENT TAFT
PHOTO BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

This picture of President Taft was recently taken by a staff photographer of the American Press Association. It is one of the best likenesses of the President secured in the past year and demonstrates that he is still large of girth, notwithstanding his journeys over the country. The snapshot was taken as he was leaving church in Pittsburg, which may account for his serious frown.

HELD LARGE LAND SALE.

Sold 123 Lots at Rocky Point Yesterday—Was Gala Day.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., May 16.—A large land sale was held here today by Messrs. Grady and Weeks through the Bodenheimers, auctioneers for the Columbia Realty Company, of Greensboro. One hundred and twenty-three lots were sold, bringing $4,100, or thereabouts in South Rocky Point. Most of this property was bought by colored people, who will build thereon as soon as the "crop is over." There was in attendance one of the largest crowds seen recently, reminding one of the Jimmie Heaton days with the exception everybody was strictly straight and the constraining and restraining influence of the music by the Wallace Band, that soothed and calmed the savage propensities that may have pre-existed. The average of sales was fairly good; quite a lot of the property was in bean, cotton and berry culture and showed a trampled condition.

These auctioneers are wonderful fellows. They follow a gang of brush and bramble choppers preceeded by a surveyor. Then comes a liberal application of white wash to the remaining trees and shrubbery. The day of sale arrives and with it a big crowd, two auctioneers begin their spiel, the band plays, a lot of tooters go among the crowd telling you of what a big bargain this corner or the next corner lot is. First thing you know, you own a valuable town lot, "pon easy terms." In fact that martial music rendered makes one feel in a buying humor, to awaken next morning and think, "What fools we mortals be."

Messrs. Grady and Weeks will sell through the two Bodenheimers on the 30th, 40 more lots to whites only on the proposed macadam road from Fort Fisher to Greensboro, that interests Greater Rocky Point. This property has been in berry culture for several years and is extremely valuable, thoroughly drained, easily accessible by rail, auto and water via Lane's Ferry. The day has been a gala day with the farmers and others, long processions of whom followed the band and salesmen.

Representative G. W. Moody, of the American Agriculturist, is on the grounds interesting our farmers with his paper. The Atlanta Journal's subagent, F. Reeves is telling our people how good a paper his folks get out.

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Delicious Gingerbread.

Children are great lovers of gingerbread, and grown folks, too, if it is of the rich "melt-in-the-mouth" kind. The following recipe by the famous Mrs. Mary J. Lincoln, is commended to those who delight in this delicacy:

Mix two cups flour, one-half level teaspoon salt, one level teaspoon soda, one level tablespoon ginger; stir in one cup molasses, two tablespoons softened Cottolene and one-half cup boiling water. Bake in shallow pan. If for dessert, bake in layers. Fill with whipped cream, flavored with lemon.

The little ones can eat this freely. Lard is indigestible, but Cottolene, the perfect shortening, makes food that agrees with the most delicate stomachs.

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VILLA VIEW

Auction Sale of Beautiful Residence Lots!

WE will sell at public auction on the premises to the highest bidder on **Friday, May 20th,** at 10:30 A. M., absolutely regardless of price, that beautiful property at Wrightsville, known as **"Villa View."** Building is in progress all around this property. It is higher than any other point in the town; on the car line; commands grand view of the sound, and is within a stone's throw of the depot. We call your particular attention to the fact that this is the only piece of property left in Wrightsville suitable for summsr homes, winter homes, or any other kind of homes; that when it is sold it cannot be duplicated. Wrightsville is growing rapidly on to success, and real estate is cheaper today than it will ever be again.

Penny Bros., the famous twin auctioneers, will cry the sale, and will only keep you about forty minutes. You will see two men sell the same lot in the same voice, and dispose of them at the rate of one a minute.

This property has been consigned to us to be sold absolutely regardless of price, and your price will be ours.

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